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PART I—HISTORY

FAMILY SKETCH

Heman Rowlee was born November 17, 1746. Of his life previous to his marriage, in 1770, little is known. In all probability he grew up in the hills east of the Hudson River, and when old enough was apprenticed to learn the stone mason's trade, by which he afterwards earned his living. In 1769 he bought a farm in southern Orange County, a region already quite densely populated by Dutch, Scotch and Irish emigrants, and by pioneers from Long Island and Connecticut. January 9, 1770, he married Lydia Seely. Her parents' names are unknown, but she had a sister Charlotte, who married Isaac Seaman. These sisters were no doubt descendants of Robert Seely, the valiant soldier who is said to have come to America with Governor Winthrop's fleet.*

Heman Rowlee first appears in Revolutionary records as lieutenant in the Florida-Warwick Company of the Fourth Orange County Regiment of Militia under Colonel John Hathorn. The only specimen of his handwriting known is where he signed a receipt for pay on Colonel Hathorn's voucher, now filed in the Controller's office at Albany. Whether he was made an officer on account of previous military training or some other cause does not appear. He did not sign the Revolutionary pledge.

Orange County was part of the frontier during the Revolutionary War and was subjected to murderous raids from time to time. The most notable of these was led by Brandt and ended in the battle of Minisink, which was little less than a massacre of the Orange County provincials by the Indians and Tories.† The company to which Heman Rowlee belonged was called upon to support their comrades, but arrived after the fight was over. While the seat of war was in the Hudson valley, the militia was called upon to do desultory but very active work. The service was, however, much more like guerilla warfare than regular

*For an account of the early generations of Seelys, see Schenck's History of Fairfield, Conn.

†See Eager's History of Orange County.

army service. The stories told by later generations of Indian and Redcoat outrages were no doubt traditions from these Revolutionary experiences.

Heman Rowlee protected his home and family. Ten years after the Revolutionary War closed he had prospered so that he determined to build a new home. Heretofore he had lived in a log house. He now had ten children, five boys and five girls, the older ones old enough to render efficient aid in the construction of the new house. Stone in that country was plenty, and he naturally concluded to build it of that material. The earth was excavated to bed-rock and the four walls started upon it. There were to be two rooms in the cellar, two rooms on the first floor, and an ample attic above. The walls were eighteen inches thick, and in the gable ends were carried up to the ridge pole. The windows were narrow and were provided with solid board shutters like the houses of Philadelphia. The chimney was a massive affair built entirely of stone. Leading into it were two fireplaces, one in each room on the first floor. The hearth for these was supported on an immense corbel built out in the cellar. The front or east side was of dressed stone in regular blocks, the ends and back of irregular rubble. The rafters were tamarack poles flattened on one side, and the beams and joist were all hewn. The plates were held in place on the side walls by heavy wrought iron straps bent into shape so as to hook inside the wall and outside the plate. The house stands in good condition to-day. It is located a mile east of Edenville, in the town of Warwick. It was bequeathed to Heman Rowlee, Jr., by his father, and was owned and occupied by him until his death in 1866. It is now owned by G. H. Davenport. Since the death of Heman Rowlee, Jr., a larger part has been added to the house. The front was given a thick coat of plaster which has peeled off in places. It is now 116 years old. The door and window frames, the sash and blinds are crumbling with age, but the walls, beams and rafters are as sound as when built.

The ten children brought up under this roof soon separated to make homes for themselves.

The eldest daughter, Sarah, married, and after bearing one child, Joel Curtis, died at the early age of thirty years. Joel

Curtis is mentioned in his grandfather's will. He finally removed to Brooklyn.

The second child, Lois, had the deformity known as harelip, and lived with her father until his death in 1818, when she removed with her younger sister, Lydia S., to Rowlee Hill, one mile west of Peruville, Tompkins County, N. Y. Their brother, Nathan, had previously settled in this place. Lois was a weaver and made cloth, from which her sister, a seamstress, made clothing. Both were highly respected and very religious women.

Charles, the eldest son, came to an untimely death by drowning. He had been married two years and left a young wife and infant daughter, Charlotte. The circumstances of his death are not known, but the Christmas season of 1799 must have been a sad one indeed for the family. Nothing is known of his widow's life after his death. The daughter Charlotte is mentioned in her grandfather's will. She married Gabriel Curtis and died when thirty years old, leaving two daughters, Lois Kosia and Elizabeth. Her husband married again, and both daughters married and settled in the West, the elder at Summerfield, O., the younger at Corunna, Mich.

The fifth child and second son, Matthew, married and remained in the vicinity of the old home. He was a blacksmith.

Elijah married and lived for several years in Orange County, but about the time of his father's death migrated with his family to the Chemung Valley in Southern New York. He was a farmer.

Nathan and Elijah seem to have had business interests together in Orange County. They sold out and both migrated about the same time. Nathan went to Rowlee Hill, near Peruville, Tompkins County, N. Y., where he lived until about 1827. He then sold out to his two sisters, Lois and Lydia S., and removed to Fulton, Oswego County, where he got out and dressed hearthstones from a quarry just below the falls. His children, with the exception of his son, Charles S., settled in this locality. Nathan Rowlee and his wife visited their sisters in Tompkins County about 1833. William Niver, of Cortland, now over 80 years old, well remembers that they with Lydia S. and Lois visited his father, and particularly their acrid discussion of

masonry, and Morgan. Niver's father was a mason and the Rowlees anti-mason. His grandmother was Charlotte (Seely) Seaman.

Mary, or Polly, married John Blauvelt, a dealer in horses. They emigrated to the Susquehanna valley in Northern Pennsylvania about 1820, and most of their children settled there. Their youngest son, John McDowell Blauvelt, is the only one of his generation living. From him a fund of information has been secured for these records.

Heman, Jr., the youngest son, remained upon the old homestead in Orange County until his death. He was a very religious man, and by his will endowed the Presbyterian church at Amity, of which he had been an elder for forty years.

Mention has already been made of Lydia S. She also was deeply interested in religion and made liberal provision in her will for the Peruville Presbyterian church, which she had helped build up.

The youngest child, Elizabeth, married Daniel Coe, and lived in Orange County until his death. She outlived all her brothers and sisters and died in 1879 at Groton, N. Y., at the home of her daughter.

Thus were the children of Lieutenant Heman Rowlee dispersed. Their descendants are now in all parts of the United States, and very few of them know of the comfortable home and happy family of their ancestor of one hundred years ago.

FAMILY RECORD, 1

This is a very old record found with the "Prayers" of Lydia S. Rowlee. She may have made them or they may have been her father's. They were written with a goose quill pen. The records are in the possession of Flora (Underwood) Bower.

Heman Rowlee Was born November 14 day 1746.

Lydia Seeley Was born Desember 26 in the 1749 and was maried Jenevary the ninth th 1770. their first Born Sarah was born May 19 day 1771.

Lowis Rowlee was Born November the 16 day 1772.

Charles Rowlee was Born Janewary 14d 1774.

Matthew Rowlee was Born tusday September the 30 day 1777.

Elijah Rowlee was Born Sater Jenewary 8 day in the year 1780.

Nathan Rowlee was Borne tuseday April 16 in the year 1782.

Mary Rowlee was Born Wonsday April the 15 in the year 1785.

Heman Rowlee was Born munday August the 27 day 1787.

Lydia Rowlee was Born thirsday Febuwary the 5 day 1789.

Elezabeth Rowlee was Born tuseday August 29 in the year 1791.

Johathanan's Sun, Shubell Arnold was Born June the tenth day in year 1792.

Choziah Roads was born Jenewary the fifteenth day : 1782.

Was Maried Febuwary leventh day 1797.

Charles Rowlee was Drowned December the 19th 1799 aged 25 and a 11 months and five days.

Lidya Rowlee was Born June the 3d Day 1798.

Sarah Curtice departed this life May the 16th day 1801 aged 29 year and 11 month and 29 days.

*Charlotte Curtis died September 1, th 1828 Aged 29 years 1 months.

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*Beginning here the record is on more modern paper and written in a different hand.

Nathan Rowlee died Febuary th15, 1839 aged 57 years 10 months.

Lois Rowlee died Apriel 1th 1847 aged 74 years 5 months and 15 days.

Mary Blauvelt died September 29th 1849 Aged 62 years five months and 16 days.

Mathew Rowlee died june the 28 1851 aged 74 years nine months.

Lydia S Rowlee died August 30, 1852 Aged 62 years 6 months and 25 days.

Heman Rowlee died May th30, 1866 aged 79 years.

FAMILY RECORD, 2

The following is a family record in the possession of William Underwood, of Groton, N. Y., and is from a family Bible probably belonging to his grandmother, Elizabeth (Rowlee) Coe, daughter of Heman and Lydia (Seely) Rowlee. They appear to be in the same handwriting but entered at different times with different ink and pen.

BIRTHS.

Heman Rowlee was born Nov. 14th, 1746.
Lydia Seely was born Dec. 26th, 1749;
Was married Jan. 9th, 1770.
Sarah Rowlee was born May 19th, 1771.
Lois Rowlee was born Nov. 16, 1772.
Charles Rowlee was born Jan. 14th, 1774.
Matthew Rowlee was born tuesday, Sept. 30th, 1777.
Elijah Rowlee was born Jan. 8th, 1780.
Nathan Rowlee was born April 16th, 1782.
Mary Rowlee was born April 15th, 1785.
Heman Rowlee jun was born August 27th, 1787.
Lydia S. Rowlee was born Feb. 5th, 1790.
Elizabeth Rowlee was born August 29th 1792.
Charlotte Rowlee, daughter of Charles Rowlee, was born June 3d, 1799.

MARRIAGES.

Charlotte Rowlee was married April, 1822.
Charlotte Coe was married April 23d, 1840.

DEATHS.

Charles Rowlee was drowned Dec. the 19th, 1799, aged 25 years, 11 months and five days.

Sarah Curtice departed this life May the 16th, 1801, aged 29 years, 11 months and 29 days.

Lydia Rowlee, the wife of Heman Rowlee, departed this life April the 10th day, 1817, aged 67 years, 3 months and 15 days.

Heman Rowlee departed this life Dec. the 26th, 1818, aged 72 years, 1 month and 12 days.

Charlotte Curtis died Sept. 1st, 1828, aged 29 years, three months.

Nathan Rowlee died February 15th, 1839, aged 57 years, 10 months.

Lois Rowlee died April 1st, 1847, aged 74 years, five months and 15 days.

Mary Blauvelt died Sept. 29th, 1849, aged 64 years, five months and 14 days.

Matthew Rowlee died June 28th, 1851, aged 74 years, nine months and

Lydia S Rowlee died August 30th, 1852, aged 62 years, 6 months and twenty-five days.

LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF LIEUTENANT HEMAN ROWLEE

TOWNSHIP OF WARWICK, ORANGE COUNTY.

I, Heman Rowlee, considering the uncertainty of this mortal life and being of sound mind and memory (blessed be Almighty God for the same) do make this my last will and testament in manner and form following (that is to say). First—I give and bequeath unto my oldest son Matthew Rowlee the sum of two hundred dollars: Second—I will and bequeath unto my second and third sons Nathan and Elijah Rowlee the sum of two hundred dollars each: Third—I bequeath unto my oldest daughter Loas Rowlee the sum of five hundred dollars: Fourth—I will and bequeath unto the heirs of John Blauvelt the sum of fifty dollars: Fifth—I give and bequeath unto the heirs of Daniel Coe the sum of fifty dollars: Sixth—I will and bequeath unto my daughter Lydia Rowlee the sum of three hundred and fifty dollars: Seventh—I will and bequeath unto my granddaughter Charlotte Rowlee the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars, and I also will unto my grandson Joel Curtis two dollars and fifty cents: Eighth—and lastly after paying all my just debts and legacies out of said estate I will and bequeath unto my son Heman Rowlee all my real and personal property which said several legacies or sums of money and I will and order that one half be paid at the expiration of two years after my desease and the other half be paid at the expiration of three years, to the said respective legatees: that is exclusive of the legacies that shall be due to the heirs of John Blauvelt and Dan'l Coe which I order to be paid when each of their eldest heirs shall arrive at the age of twenty-one years with the interest after three years after my decease. I do therefore appoint my son Heman Rowlee sole executor XXXX Third day of June in the year 1817.

HEMAN ROWLEE.

ROBT. FARRIER
DAN'L NANNY
THOS. FARRIER

REMINISCENCE OF HEMAN ROWLEE, JR.

BY HIS FOSTER DAUGHTER, MRS. SIDNEY BULL.

CAMERON, MO., Oct. 2, 1905.

As to a biographical sketch of Uncle Heman, I can give you items which I hope will interest you. He was a devoted Christian, spent much time in prayer. Told me of one time when as a young man he was alone in the barn praying audibly and his sister came to the door and said "Boo", he said "sister, if you had been quiet you might have heard something for your good." He often took our oldest boy (whom he took in his arms when a little baby and called him by his own name), into the old stone parlor and I would hear him in prayer. He loved his church (Amity Presbyterian), was generous in its support and all its benevolent work. He bequeathed to it a thousand dollars, the interest to perpetuate the salary of the pastor. He maintained the family altar. The big family Bible was read morning and evening.

I coveted that old Bible, but felt it belonged to the Rowlee family. It was a large, old book well preserved. Auntie read it through seven times while uncle was at prayer meeting, knitting meantime, the book resting on a stand before her. She was not able for a number of years to attend meeting with him. His liberality gave the impression that he was very wealthy. I think his estate amounted to thirty-two thousand dollars, which he tried to distribute equally between his and auntie's relatives, after bequests of a thousand dollars to several benevolent societies. He gave our Heman a thousand for his education. He also gave me what has helped us to accumulate a comfortable living.

Uncle told me of the building of the stone house, now standing, when he was five years old, and of helping the same year to set out the black cherry trees which lined the road from the barn to the Shorter place, and of the homestead being left to him in consideration of his paying certain legacies to the other heirs. He borrowed money to pay them and the next year had to borrow again to pay the interest. This he determined should

not occur again, and he and auntie worked hard. He husked his corn and did his threshing nights. Auntie plied the loom, made butter and knit stockings to sell. The last year of her life she knit forty-six pairs of woollen socks.

A funny little story was told by Mrs. Sam Goble, of Edenville, illustrating the hard times the people passed through in those early days. Mrs. Goble's father's farm joined the Rowlee farm toward Edenville. Heman, Sr., had but one pair of pants and his wife washed them after he retired and hung them in front of the fire-place to dry ; in the night they fell over and burned up, and Mrs. Goble's mother went over the next day and helped make a new pair while he lay in bed.

I have very pleasant recollections of the families of John Coe, John Rowlee, Jane Ball, and Lydia Woodruff. Was also acquainted with Aunt Betsey Coe. Do not remember whose children these were except John Coe.

GRAVESTONE INSCRIPTIONS

The inscriptions upon the gravestones of Heman Rowlee, Jr., and his wife in the Amity burying ground are as follows :

IN MEMORY OF HEMAN ROWLEE
DIED MAY 30, 1866
Æ. 78 YRS., 10 MOS., AND 27 DAS.

" My flesh shall slumber in the ground
Till the last trumpets joyful sound.
Then burst the chains with sweet surprise,
And in my Savior's image rise."

IN MEMORY OF RUTH, WIFE OF HEMAN ROWLEE
DIED NOV. 11, 1859
Æ. 65 YRS., 9 MOS., 25 DAS.

" My weeping relations, my brethren and friends,
Whose souls are entwined with my own,
Adieu for the present, my spirit ascends
Where friendship immortal is known."

WILL OF HEMAN ROWLEE, JR.

In the name of God, Amen :

I, HEMAN ROWLEE, of the Town of Warwick, County of Orange, and State of New York, being of sound mind and memory, blessed be God for the same, but being also mindful of the uncertainty of life, do make, publish and declare this my Last Will and Testament, viz :

First—I devise and bequeath all my Estate, Real and Personal, of every kind and character, of which I may die seized or possessed, unto my Executors, hereinafter named, upon TRUST, to receive the rents and profits of the said Estate, and with all convenient speed to sell and convert into money all the said Estate, Real and Personal, and with the said money to pay and discharge all my debts and the legacies hereinafter given.

Second—I give, devise and bequeath unto my niece, Ruth Ann Cooley, wife of Sydney Bull, the sum of One Thousand Dollars.

Third—I give, devise and bequeath unto my sister, Elizabeth Coe, unto my nephew, Thomas Rowlee*, son of Elijah Rowlee, and unto Catharine Ann Ward the sum of Five Hundred Dollars each.

Fourth—I give, devise and bequeath unto Adaline More and Mariah Williams, sisters of my wife, Dec'd, and Henry E. Cooley, Benjamin Cooley, Isaac Cooley and Jared Cooley, brothers of my wife, dec'd, and unto John Coe and Lydia Ann Woodruff, children of my sister, Elizabeth Coe, and unto John Rowlee and Daniel Rowlee, sons of my brother, Matthew Rowlee, and unto Betsey Ann Goble and Jane Ball, daughters of my brother, Matthew Rowlee, the sum of Three Hundred Dollars each.

Fifth—I devise and bequeath unto Sydney Bull the sum of One Thousand Dollars upon Trust for Heman Rowlee Bull, son of said Sydney Bull, to be used as follows : I hereby direct that the said sum be securely invested and kept on interest, together with the interest accumulating on the same, until he shall arrive

*Elijah Rowlee had no son Thomas. The beneficiary was probably Heman Rowlee, son of Elijah. W. W. R.

at the age of fourteen years. I then direct that the interest and so much of the principal as may be needed from year to year be expended in the education of the said Heman R. Bull until he shall arrive at the age of Twenty-one years. (Provided that no part of the original One Thousand Dollars be expended), when the said sum of One Thousand Dollars and any balance unexpended remaining in the hands of said Trustee shall be paid to him.

Fifth—I give, devise and bequeath unto the Presbyterian Committee of Home Missions incorporated by the Legislature of the State of New York, April 18th, 1862, the sum of One Thousand Dollars to be expended for the appropriate objects of said incorporation.

Also, I give, devise and bequeath to the Union Theological Seminary in the City of New York, incorporated March 27th, 1839, the sum of Five Hundred Dollars.

Also, I give, devise and bequeath to the trustees for the time being of the Presbyterian Church in Amity, Orange County, New York, the sum of One Thousand Dollars, for the use and benefit of said Church, and my Will is and I direct that the said Trustees shall invest the same and that they and their successors in office shall keep the same permanently invested upon good and sufficient securities, and apply the interest and income arising therefrom to the payment of the salary of the minister for the time being of said Church.

Also, I give, devise and bequeath to the American Female Guardian Society, incorporated by the Legislature of the State of New York in the year 1849, the sum of Five Hundred Dollars to be applied for the benefit of the Home for the Friendless, or to other charitable uses of said Society.

Also, I give, devise and bequeath to the American Board of Foreign Missions, incorporated in the year ———, the sum of One Thousand Dollars to be expended for the appropriate objects of said Society.

Sixth—Whatever portion of my Estate thus converted into money may remain after the payment of the above-named legacies and bequests and all debts and expenses incurred in the settlement of my Estate, my Will is and I direct that the same be proportionately divided among the persons named and referred

to in the Second, Third and Fourth Sections or divisions of this my Last Will and Testament; and in case of there being a deficiency in my Estate to pay all the legacies and bequests herein named, then a proportionable deduction be made from the same persons.

In case any person or persons, to whom any legacy shall come by reason of this Will, shall commence any suit or suits in any Court, or in any other way sue or cause to be sued or disturbed my Executors hereinafter named, or my Administrator with my Will annexed, or any other person or persons to whom any thing is by me given in this my Will, from the recovering, quiet enjoying and possessing of what is by me herein given as aforesaid and in such manner as is therein mentioned, then my Will and meaning is that all and every legacy and legacies herein by me given to any such person or persons whatsoever who shall so sue and disturb as aforesaid, shall cease, determine and be utterly void.

Lastly—I do hereby nominate and appoint my friends, Benjamin Cooley and Thomas E. Ferrier, and the survivor of them to be the Executors or Executor of this my Last Will and Testament. And if the Executors appointed by this Will should die, neglect, refuse or become incapable to perform the trusts hereby in them reposed, then it is my Will and I declare that my Administrator or Administrators with my Will annexed shall have the same rights and powers in and over my Real and Personal Estate as are given to my Executors herein named, so that such Administrator or Administrators may be able to perform all the trusts hereby reposed in the said Executors. And I hereby revoke all former Wills by me heretofore made, and I declare this to be my Last Will and Testament.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and seal this Nineteenth day of November, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty-three.

HEMAN ROWLEE [L. S.]

Subscribed and acknowledged by the testator, Heman Rowlee, in the presence of each of us, who have subscribed our names as attesting witnesses hereto, at the request of the said testator who, at the time of making such subscription and acknowledg-

ment, did declare this instrument, so subscribed, to be his Last Will and Testament.

SILAS C. YOUNG, Edenville, N. Y.
LEGRAND MEAD, Edenville, N. Y.

I hereby certify the foregoing to be a true copy of the Last Will and Testament of Heman Rowlee, late of the Town of Warwick, in the County of Orange, deceased.

WITNESS my hand and Official Seal this 9th day of
[SEAL.] July, A. D., 1907.

T. D. SCHOONMAKER,
Clerk of the Surrogate's Court.

CITATION FOR PROBATE OF WILL AND TESTAMENT OF HEMAN ROWLEE, JR.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK: To Elizabeth Coe, residing in Groton, Tompkins County, New York; John B. Rowlee and Jane Curtiss, residing in the City of Brooklyn, New York; Daniel Rowlee, residing at Barryville, Sullivan County, New York; Jane Ball, John W. Curtis and Frances Pell, residing in the City of New York; Lydia Wright, residing at Great Bend, in the State of Pennsylvania; Maria Wood, residing at Veteran, Chemung County, New York; Lois Storms, residing in Newburgh City, Orange County, New York; Betsey Ann Goble, residing in the town of Warwick, Orange County, New York; Heman Rowlee, residing at Orange, Schuyler County, New York; Jonathan Rowlee, residing at Corning, Steuben County, New York; Elijah Rowlee, residing at Corning aforesaid; Phebe Lord and Millicent Hathaway, residing at Union, McHenry County, Illinois; Lydia J. Finch, residing at Reed, Seneca County, Ohio; Esquire Rowlee, residing at Volney, Oswego County, New York; Charles S. Rowlee, residing at Decatur, in the State of Michigan; Nathan Rowlee, John C. Rowlee, George W. Rowlee, Heman Rowlee, Daniel Rowlee, Harriet Osborn, and Dorothy Elmer, residing at Fulton, Oswego County, New York; Louis K. Horton, residing at Summer-

field, Noble County, Ohio; Elizabeth Kelly, residing at Cozzuna, Shawasse County, Michigan; William Curtis, whose residence is unknown; Elijah R. Blauvelt and Jane Smith, residing at Wysox, Bradford County, Pennsylvania; James Blauvelt and Sally Holland, residing at Liberty Corners, in said County of Bradford; John M. Blauvelt and Lydia A. Tillman, residing at Chemung, in Chemung County, New York, and Mary Mattison, residing at Clarence, Shelby County, Missouri, heirs-at-law and next of kin of Heman Rowlee, late of the town of Warwick, in the County of Orange, deceased, Greeting:

You are hereby cited to be and appear before the Surrogate of the County of Orange, at his Office in Goshen, in said County, on the 16th day of October next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to attend the probate of a certain instrument in writing purporting to be the Last Will and Testament of said deceased, bearing date the 19th day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty-three, on the application of Thomas E. Ferrier the Executor thereof: Which said last Will relates to, and is offered for probate as a Will of real and personal estate.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, we have caused the Seal of Office of our said Surrogate of the County of Orange, to be hereunto affixed. Witness, DAVID A. SCOTT, Surrogate of said County, at Goshen, in said County, the 27th day of August, in the year one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six.

[L.S.]

Surrogate.

THE PRAYERS OF LYDIA S. ROWLEE

The prayers were written in a quarto pamphlet in her own handwriting. The spelling is preserved in this copy. They are good illustrations of the religious fervor prevailing among the church people of that time. Few, however, of the many uttering such prayers wrote them down.

The original copy is in the possession of William Underwood, of Groton, N. Y.

1.

MAY 10th, 1830.

Various has been the duties of thy hand maid this day and, oh God, thou knowest how she has performed them. I have been permitted to be with thy children at thy table to commemorate thy dying love but oh what an unworthy guest I have been ; unworthy of a seat amongst thy children yet invited by the master of the feast who said in his word eat, oh friend, drink, oh beloved, and I think that the fruits of Christ's house was sweet to my taste and now, oh God, I entreat thee to give thy handmaid grace to perform all the duties devolving upon her in the fear and with an eye single to thy Glory. Thou knowest, oh searcher of hearts, the duty of this afternoon.

After having some one to go before us for this three years now we are left to go alone except thou go with us and enable us to roll ourselves over afresh on the for strength and wilt thou guide us now in the day of adversity and forgive what thou hast seen amiss in the days of our prosperity and let us not be left without the guidance of thy holy Spirit in so important an undertaking as to instruct the rising generation out of thy word, oh God, accept of us and all that we have and are for Jesus sake.

2.

JUNE 6th, 1830.

News has reached us that our dear Brother Waveley is dead. This is thy way, oh God, thou seeist not as Man seeith. How have I a poor shortsighted Mortal looked at this dear servant of the's when preparing for the minestry and thought of his filling

a place as an ambassador of Christ, but, oh God, thou hadst but a short work for him to perform here. How didst thou call for him and at an unexpected time when he was going to fulfil an appointment. It was then that thou didst send for him and not a single soul to administer to his relief. It was then that thou didst send thy angle to call this dear Brother home to thy self. To the he lived while here and thou hadst a perfect wright to do what thou wilt with thine own. Oh let not thy handmaid murmur while she suffereth her pen to write and to retrace thy dealings with this people. Thou didst in days past send thy dear servant to his place to labour in this vinyard; Thou wast acquainted with all his goings; thou didst hear him plead for sinners here by day and by night; thou wast witness to his stronge cries and tears and hadst thou not a bottle for his tears and an ear to hear his cries and now as thou hast taken him to thy self let the people in this place when they hear the mournful tidings remember the warnings and the reproof of thy servant. Oh let thy spirit accompany the newes to the concienceses of all who hear it both saint and sinner. Oh may we who saw his life and how near he lived to the Saviour be enabled to tread in his steps as far as he trod in the steps of the blessed Jesus. Oh how faithful was he to give reproof to those whome he esteemed as the Children of God. What intreaties to live above the world and to have our conversasion in Heaven and not on the things of time, and, on the other hand, how faithful to warn sinners of their approaching danger and to exort them to flee from the wrath to come and to lay hold on the hope set before them in the Gosple. Oh God let not the news of the death of this thy servant pass unnotised by this people and do thou support his dear widowed mother to say the Lord gave and the Lord hath taken away and blessed be the name of the Lord. She did give to the her son, and thou wast pleased to hear her cries when she plead for the salvation of his soul and now thou hast taken him to thy self I ask the again to support her in this day of trial.

And, oh God, I would ask that thou wouldst prepare thy handmaid for as sudden an exit from time to Eternity and when thou shalt send the messenger death to open the door for me into Eternity may I be ready having on the wedding garment

that I may shine in the righteousness of my blessed Redeemer in the Kingdom of heaven and where sin shall never more disturb my pease.

3.

JULY 13th, 1830.

Various are thy dealings with thy handmaid, oh Lord. This day am I deprived of my greatest privilege that is of attending to the Sabbath school, but Lord thou knowest why it is so perhaps thou hast in view one at this time who is more capable and better qualified to fill her place for thou art acquainted with her inability and shouldst thou never more permit her to attend to this institution it would be just in thee for how little have I honoured the when thou didst give me health to attend, how little was my heart affected with the salvation of the dear little ones committed to my care.

4.

SEPT. 5th, 1830.

How swift do the arrows of Death fly and how little do the Children of men take warning. Oh that I may take warning by the dispensasion of thy providence that has lately visited us. Thou didst send unto us one of thy most faithful Servants, and thou didst continue his life with us for a season but ere the time of his ingagement has expired thou didst step in and take him to thy self at a time when we were not looking for it. It was then that thou didst send the messenger Death and take thy dear servant to thy self and as thou hast spoken once yea twice may we percieve it and so lay it to heart as to return unto thee. This is the second time that thou hast snatched from us a beloved pastor in an instant and left this little Church to mourn the loss, but let us not forgit thee but be enabled to kiss the rod and he that hath apointed it and return unto thee with all our hearts and as thou hast smitten wilt thou not heal and oh remember us and supply the place of him whom thou hast taken from us with one whose labours thou wilt delight to make instrumental in thy hand of bringing many from darkness to thy great and marvelous light and oh that this little Church may yet arise and put on her butiful garments and rise above infidelity and sing the Lord is our Righteousness and our strength we will praise him with our whole heart even so Lord Jesus enable us to do. Amen.

5.

Oct. 3d, 1830.

As I have this day been reading the confession and repentance of those who have backslidden from thee I would transcribe and make them mine for have I not gone estray from the and my heart become cold and lukewarm in thy service and have reason to cry out in the words of the Psalmis search me, oh God, and try my ways and see if there be any evil way in me and lead me in the way everlasting, for Lord shouldest thou mark one of a thousand of my sins I could have no hope for they would be sufficient to condemn me and sink me down to eternal ruin and to cast me from thy presence forever and I should have to own the sentence just but I have reason to thank the that there is hope for such miserable creatures as we are. Though thou slay me yet will I trust in the and what reason have I to put my trust in the and to lay hold of thy Almighty arm for support. When I remember all the way the Lord God hath led me and when I have been about to work my own ruin thou hast so ordered events as to keep thy handmaid from presumptious sins and to show her the vanity of her mind and in some measure to praise the that thou art ever mindful of thy creatures for good and oh I above all of thy creaturs have reason to bless thee for thy peculiar favour manifested to me. Amen.

6.

Oct. 23, 1830.

How can I find words to express my thanks to thee, oh Lord, for thy loving kindness and tender mercy manifested to us as a Church and a people for it is of thy mercy that thou hast remembered us, for hadst thou scattered us and had there been no Church here and our candlestick been wholly removed what could thy handmaid have said but acknowledge that it was just in thee, but this has not been the way that thou has taken with us, but when we have looked for judgments thou hast granted to us mercies, when weak and feeble as a church thou didst put compassion into the heart of one of thy faithful servants to come and labour with us and as thou hast saw fit to send for him and take him to thyself, thou hast been gracious still and hast priveleged us with another of thy servants to stand in the

gap and to cry spare thy people, oh Lord, and give not thy heritage to reproach. And now, oh Lord, as giving doth not impoverish the nor withholding enrich the, let thy blessing here be manifested in the salvation of souls and let this little church no longer be little as it respects numbers but let those who compose it ever feel their own littleness and live putting their whole trust and dependance on an Almighty and cry unto thee day and night untill thy name shall be praised by this people and thy name hallooed and thy sabbaths regarded and thy commandments kept by all from the Least to the greatest. Amen.

7.

DEC. 26, 1830.

How easily are our hopes blasted and how short are our comforts and enjoyments here in this vale of tears for truly it is a vale of tears to me for at one time I am made to rejoice in view of what God has done, at another to mourn in what he has done, for I do realize that he has a right to do what he pleaseth and I do often say thy will be done on earth as it is in heavin, yet how prone to murmur at the hand that has strewed my way with mercies innumerable and blessings with out number and oh that thou woulds teach me to number my days that I may apply my heart to true wisdom and that I may not place my affections on eny thing below the sun but that I may be prepared for every event that availeth me with the composure that the blessed Jesus gave his back to the smiters but, alas, my wicked heart is as inconstant as the wind and my heart is apt to be drawn after other lovers and how can a god of spotles purity look on such a vile mortal who has nothing but a heart polluted with sin to recommend her to his face and favour.

8.

JAN. 28, 1831.

Oh thou Father of all flesh how soon are our hopes as a Church blasted as it respects outward circumstances, at one time made to rejoice in gosple priveleges, at another to mourn our destitute situation. Thy hand dealings to us as a church is mysterious, but, oh God, thou canst see all things from the beginning and had it been most for thy glory thou couldst longe before this time have caused thy spirit to decend on this place

and raised up a people here to honour the in walking in the commandments and ordinances of the Lord blameless and to erect a house to worship the in and thy gospel might statedly been preached to this people but this is not the case with us for we are now without the means that is calculated to bring Sinners to repentance and have not we as a people reason to lift up our cries to thee that thou wouldst search us and try us and show us the evil that hinders thy blessing from this people and if it be in the midst of thy people may it be found out and if it be in the people at large let it be discovered, oh Lord, and let oh let thy spiritual Jerusalem here flourish oh let her arise in thy strength and put on her butiful garments and prepare the wey in this place for the preaching of thy word. Oh send some one to this place that may prove like a Nehemiah in reparing the waste places of Zion and who may comfort thy people and stand in the gap that the enymy may not enter.

9.

JAN. 30th, 1831.

The Lords day has again returned but no gosple priveleges for thy handmaid but to sit in silence and there learn thy will and may I not venture to ask the, oh thou most high, why it is that one who has taken so much delight in gospel priveleges should so much of her time be deprived of them as it respecth those privaleges in which my soul delights. My life has been a checkuered sean sometimes rejoicing that God has cast my lot here and at another mourning that I am no better situated and that I must spend my Sabbath at home when many can go up to the house of God to keep holy day and unite their hearts and voices together in singing praises to him who gave his back to the smiters and withheld not his face from spitting to purchase those blessings for us for he went through till he could say it is finished. Oh what heart so hard that it could not rejoice at those blessed words it is finished the salvation of man is completed and all are invited to come. Oh what cause have I for grattitude that the way has been made open to me and as I hope I have been enabled to partake of the fatness of Christs house but still murmur that I live without the Preached word. Great God give thy handmaid true resignation to thy will but do not forgit thy heritage here and quickly may this dry and barren

wilderness become a fruitful field as it were, the garden of the Lord and bud and blossom as the rose that thy people may no longer hang their harps upon the willows but may they arise in thy strength and go forth to meet the blessed Jesus while he is yet in the way and while he is inviting sinners to come to him and may thy children lay hold of thy promises and plead them in all their length and breadth and with that faith that takes no denial. Oh that thou woulds put such a heart into thy people here and unite the hearts of all together in one bundle of love.

10.

MARCH 13th, 1831.

I find that in the are blessings still and that thou art found of those that seek the and though we are destitute of the preached word yet we have the privelege of meeting together and mingleing our voices together in confessing our sins before the and pleading for thy blessing on a lost and fallen world, and oh when will that blessed day dawn on this little Church that we may enjoy the blessing of a preached Gosple. Oh is not the time now nigh at hand and not far off when Sinners in this place might be constrained to listen to the voice of wisdom and forsake their vanity and turn to God.

11.

MAY 1st, 1831.

I am astonished when I look over and see that more than a Month has passed away without my marking down any of thy dealings with me, for I must acknowledge it has been a season of more than common interest to me in that thou hast been pleased to look upon us in our low estate and hast raised us to a more than common engagedness in thy service. Oh what a God of mercy have we sinners of the human family to trust in, and oh that thou wouldst Give thy handmaid true resignation to thy dealings to us as a people and trust the and march forforward in every path of duty looking unto Jesus who is the author and finisher of all things.

12.

JAN. 1st, 1832.

This is the first day of a new year and how does it become me a candidate who is bound to the eternal world to consider how I spent the last year and wherein I have come short of my duty to

God to try and reform this year on which I have now entered. How different has been my circumstances this day to what the commencement of the last was. This day we were all able to go to the house of God and the first of the Last were all constrained to stay at home by reason of sickness. And when I take a view of thy goodness to me an individual I have reason to bles and prais thy great name for thy loving kindness manifested to such a poluted worm of the dust and as thou wast pleased to visit us in a time when destitute of the word preached and as thou hast been pleased to grant to us at the presant this so great a blessing. Oh God, to the I look and to the, cause all of thy Children to look and may this little Church arise as the heart of one man. Lord God to the I look that thou wouldst arouse thy Children and bring them into a state of activity that those who suround thy Children may by their Good works be led to glorify thee our Father who art in heaven and oh that this afternoons discourse may be set home to every impenitent sinner this day so that it may be a means in thy hand of bringing them all to Christ.

13.

May 15th, 1832.

It is now more than twenty three years since I in a publick manner came out and seperated myself from the world declareing myself to be for God and none other and now when I look back and take a view and see how little I have done to honor that God to who I am indebted for every bles that my life has been crowned with, I might forever hide my face in the dust but as I know that to go back is certain death I will with trembling steps march forward and this day would I anew consecrate myself to thee in humble relyance on divine aid as I do know that the most of my time is spent and that I have honered him no more before a dying world. I do now desire to consecrate myself anew to God and do desire to be his and only his forever and, oh thou Almighty God, who knowest the secrets of all hearts help this thy unworthy dust to live and while she lives to honor her christian profession by a well ordered life and Godly conversasion and help me so to live that my life may be such that I may leave a savour of thy name when I quit the shores of time and enter the world of spirits to join in celebrating the praises of God and the Lamb through Eternity. Oh blessed thought, one that has

done so little to honor my maker, one that so little honored my redeemer Can I have so blessed a hope yes methinks I have a hope that is like an anchor to the soul both sure and stedfast entering to that within the vale whither the forerunner is entered. May I live as one who posseses so glorious a hope and when this mortal shall be called to put on imortality Death may be swallowed up and I with joy enter on an untried state. Oh thou blessed Redeemer, thou Lamb of God, how doest thou condesend to take guilty rebbles to thy self and permit them to be heirs with the in thy Kingdom.

14.

August 28th, 1832.

O Lord, I am yet spared and again to set my pen to paper and it is because thy hand has been stretched out in mercy or I should now have been in an endless and miserable Eternity, for, oh God, since thou hast taught me my condition that I was in by nature and permitted me to hope in thy mercy, how have I departed from the and it is with shame that I would this night make a confession of my sins and my wanderings from thee and this night would I engrave as in brass that I do desire to return to the with all my heart never more to depart from the for thou only art lovley thou alone deservest the prais of thy people. And, oh God, may I ever give the prais and Glory that is due to thy holy name and keep my proper place at thy feet and though my name should be cast out as evil, oh let me never stray from the path of truth and duty but if I am reviled may I remember that the blessed Jesus withheld not his face from spitting and shall not I be patient under reproaches for, oh God, it will be well with me if thou reproach me not for should all earth and hell rise up against me it be well with me if thou art my friend. Oh may I come to the aright and lay my self low before the and the few remaining breaths that I have to breath let me breath them out in prayr to the and let not an idol word pass from my lips and help me to dedicate my house hold to thee in such a manner as that thou wilt except the dedication and look on them in mercy. Thou hast committed to my care two immortal Souls which must exist as longe as god exists and one of them I hope thou hast taught the bitterness of sin and he has made a dedication of himself to the, but Lord thou see'st that unless

thou hold he will utterly depart from the. Oh God look upon him this night and keep him from sin keep him from the vaneties of this vain and alureing world and may a sence of his departure from the be brought to his view in cullars that he may return to the with all his heart and be a light in thy candlestick. Oh God but I confess that thou hast a perfect right to what thou wilt with thine own I leave him with thee and plead for her who is yet in the broad road to ruin walking heedlesly onwardly to Eternity. Oh God, wilt thou have compassion upon her and send thy Good spirit into her heart and show her her sins in their true cullars that she may no longer rest in sin but return and live to thy Glory and may I be so happy as to say here am I and the Children thou hast given me. Amen.

15.

Dec. 12th, 1832.

This day, again detained from going up with thy people to keep holy day in lonely retirement at home, would I look over and count thy mercies to us as a people in that thou hast crowned us with blessings innumerable thou hast far surpassed my expectations and I am led in the language of the poet to say

Lord when I count thy mercies ore
  they strike me with surprise
Not all the sands that spread the shore
  To equal number rise.

For thou hast not only granted to us the preached word but thou hast succeeded the effort of thy people in this place in erecting a house in honour of thy name and when we felt ourselves little and could see no way of eskape it was then that thou didst send to our relief. In sending to this little Church a man one on whose labours thou hast been pleased to smile and one whom thou hast been pleased to make instrumental in bringing into this little vine multitudes of the lost sons and daughters of men and hast placed on them thy blessed image and hast made them pillars in the temple of our God and as I hope to go no more out forever. This is the Lord's doings and it is marvelous in our eyes.

16.

March 1st, 1833.

This is the first that I a sinful worm have attempted to pen this year, and oh when I look over thy hand dealings with this little vine I am constrained to say what hath God the great Eternal wrought for us here. Thou art going on in ways of mercy with us and now as we are about to enjoy a privelege under such circumstances as we have never before been permitted to enjoy how does it become us to humble ourselves before thee, the Almighty God, that thou mayest lift us up for now, even now, under all the seaming prospects which are before us if thou Lord withhold thy blessing the season which we contemplate will be a barren and unfruitful one to us and thy name will be dishonoured. But as thou hast never disapointed eny who put their trust in the, disapoint not I do pray thee any expectation of thy blessing upon the meeting now in contemplation and when the house that has been built for thy worship shall be dedicated to thy name and worship, oh will it please the to fill it with a cloud of thy presance.

17.

April, 1833.

Again am I permitted to put my hand to paper and to tell of thy wonders, oh Lord, to us as a people here in this place hast thou been pleased to stand by thy people and bless their attempts to erect a house of worship. Oh what grattitude do I owe to the, for thou hast been with us from the foundation to the top stone ; thou art in very deed thy people's friend and I will still trust the and go forward hoping that thou who hast been with us in all our straits will now take up thine abode with thy people here and cause that here sons and daughters may be born to thee who shall shine like polished stones in thy temple here and be prepared to shine in the kingdom of immortal glory.

18.

May 5th, 1833.

I am yet in the Land of the living and am permitted to tell of thy goodness and to plead with the to search me and try me for the fealings of my heart are known to thee this day, how do

I feal to mourn over the sins of thy professed children, how is thy cause in this place dishonered by such as profess to be thine in this place. Oh Lord may all in this place who profess to be thine be careful to depart from all eniquity and walk in obediance to thy commands that they may lead them who are yet blinded in sin to the saviour of Sinners. Oh let this be a day of thy power upon the impenitent in this place and may be brought to feal the truth when it is set before them and may satan yet be defeated of his pray and no longer hold the impenitent in his chain but let arrows from thy quiver fly thick this afternoon to the hearts of thy enemies and bring them to bow in submission to thy will. Thou art able and will it not please the to bind the strong man and then spoil his goods enter in, oh thou blessed spirit, this afternoon to many hearts and may the jeneral inquiry be what shall I do to be saved and may the cloud which apears to gather blackness over this place be a cloud of mercy and fill this place with thy glory.

WILL OF LYDIA S. ROWLEE

In the name of God Amen: I, Lydia S. Rowlee, of the town of Groton in the County of Tompkins and State of New York, of the age of sixty years and being of sound mind and memory do make and publish this my last will and testament in manner following, that is to say,

First, I do give and bequeath to my niece, Charlotte Underwood, wife of Alfred Underwood, the sum of four hundred and seventy dollars; to my nephew, Charles S. Rowlee, the sum of six hundred dollars; to my niece, Louis K. Horton, wife of William Horton, the sum of fifty dollars; to my niece, Elizabeth Kelly, wife of Joseph Kelly, the sum of fifty dollars; to the American Home Missionary Society, the sum of fifty dollars.

Which said several legacies or sums of money I direct and order to be paid to the said respective legatees within one year after my decease.

Second, I give and devise to the Trustees of the Congregational Society in Peruville, all my right and interest in the meeting house belonging to said society situate in said village and to their successors in office forever; and lastly I do give and bequeath all the rest residue and remainder of my personal estate, goods and chattels of what nature and kind soever, to my niece, Charlotte Underwood, wife of Alfred Underwood. I do also nominate and appoint my friend Reuben Darling, Executor of this my last will and testament, revoking all former wills by me made.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal the sixteenth day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty.

LYDIA S. ROWLEE.

The above instrument consisting of one sheet, was at the date thereof signed, sealed, published and declared by the said Lydia S. Rowlee as and for her last will and testament in presence of us, who at her request and in her presence and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto.

Philander Cornell, Residing in Groton, Tompkins Co.
Isaac Underwood, Residing in Groton, Tompkins Co.

ANCESTRY OF LIEUT. HEMAN ROWLEE

The following notes on the early generations of the Rowlee (Rowley) family in America are largely taken from Prof. Homer G. Brainard's articles in the *New York Gen. and Biog. Record.*

1. Henry Rowley was an early planter at Plymouth, Mass. In the first tax rating for the Plymouth Colony in 1632–33, occurs the following entries:

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Henry Rowley	00	09
Gov. Edward Winslow	02	05
Myles Standish	00	18
John Alden	01	04

In the second rating in 1633–34:

Henry Rowley	00	18
Gov. Edward Winslow	02	05
Myles Standish	00	18
John Alden	01	04

It is possible that he was one of the company that came over from Leyden to Plymouth in 1630. It has also been conjectured that he came in the *Charles* with Mr. Hatherly, in 1632. It is probable that he came from the vicinity of Shrewsbury, England, since the family name is common in the records there. It is near the Wales border and some traditions call the family Welch, while others call it English. It is probable that he was married when he came over, and that his children were born before that time. It has been declared that his first wife was Sarah, daughter of William Palmer, Senior, of Duxbury. The latter came over in the *Fortune* in 1621, and his wife, Frances, came in the *Anne* in 1623. In his will, dated 1637, William Palmer names "Moyses Rowley (son of Henry) whom I love," and provides for his bringing up, but does not state what relation Moses was to himself. Henry Rowley m. (2) Oct. 17, 1633, Anne, widow of Deacon Thomas Blossom, who embarked in the *Speedwell* at Leyden in 1620, but being obliged to return to Leyden, came over to Plymouth in 1629, where he d. previous to March, 1632–3. Henry and Anne Rowley removed to Scituate in 1634, the year he was elected freeman. Both were members of Rev. John Lothrop's church at Scituate in 1634–5, and removed with him to Barnstable in 1638. In the memoran-

dum containing the membership of Lothrop's church occurs the following: "Goodman Rowleyes house a small plain palesade House in 1634; a new house on his lott in 1636." He was a deputy from Barnstable to the General Court in Plymouth at least once.

In 1650 Henry Rowley removed, with his step-son, Peter Blossom, to West Barnstable, and later to Falmouth. Henry Rowley d. in 1673. Inventory of the estate of "henery Rowley of Saconesset," exhibited in Court, July, 1673, on oath of Moses Rowley. "Item: a debt of twenty-nine pounds due from Jonathan Hatch upon the repurchase of a parsell of land which the said Hatch sold to said Henery Rowley with that limitation provided." Plymouth Colony Records, Vol. III, part 2, p. 93. Children:—

2 i. Moses, b._____; m. Elizabeth Fuller.
ii. Joseph, b._____; living at Barnstable, 1655; said to have gone to Barbadoes.
iii. Sarah, b._____; m. April 11, 1646, Jonathan Hatch, of Barnstable and Falmouth, b. about 1626, d. Dec., 1710, aged about 84 years. He settled in Succonnessett (Falmouth) in 1661.

2. Moses Rowley (Henry[1]), b. probably before 1630 in England; d. 1705, at (East) Haddam, Conn.; m. April 22, 1652, at Barnstable, Elizabeth, dau. of Capt. Matthew Fuller. She survived her husband and d. in (East) Haddam or Colchester after 1714. The earliest mention of Moses Rowley is found in the will of William Palmer, the elder, of Duxbury, dated Nov. 7, 1637, which is recorded in Vol. I, fol. 28, of Plymouth Colony Wills and Inventories, and has been printed. (See Mayflower Descendant for July 1900, p. 147). "I would have myne Execut's as in conscience they are pswaded out of the remaynder of my estate deale wth Rebecca my Grandchild and Moyses Rowly whom I love but not so as to put it into their father or mother's hands but preserve it for them till they come to years of discretion . . . . also I would have yeong Rowly to be placed wth mr. Partridge that hee might be brought up in the feare of God, and to that end if his father suffer it I give mr. Partridge five pounds." March 7, 1653–4, Moses Rowley was allowed a cow out of the estate of William Palmer, deceased, of Plymouth (Records of Plymouth Colony, Vol. III, p. 45.)

In 1657 he took the freeman's oath at Barnstable. In 1681

he was a constable, and was occupying lands at Succonessett (Falmouth). He was a deputy to the General Court in 1692, under the new charter according to Savage, and yet he must at that time have been thinking of removal, for according to East Haddam Deeds, Vol. I, p. 554, Moses Rowley, Senior, "late of Saquanesset, now of Machimodus in Haddam," bought 60 acres of land of Jonathan Gilbert, originally laid out to John Henderson of Haddam, deceased. The date of this deed is May 3, 1692, and there is another deed dated October 4, 1693, which names Moses Rowley. An agreement of the heirs of James Bates of Haddam, dated Feb. 1691–2, refers to "mony in moses rowlyes and John Ackley's hands, to be reserved to pay debts with." These records indicate that he removed to Haddam as early as 1691. That his wife Elizabeth disapproved of the removal is clear, for in 1714 she made a deed in which she declared that she had been left without support and dependent upon the bounty of her sons, John Fuller and Moses Rowley, and conveyed to them all her right of dower to lands in Falmouth, which her husband had sold to the Parkers without her consent. His will is dated Aug. 16, 1704, on file at Hartford, Conn., and reads as follows:

"The Last Will and Testament of Moses Rowley Sen of east Haddam in the county of Hartford in Colleny of Connecticut in new Ingland Wittneseth."

"In the name of god. Amen. Whereas I Moses Rowlee being weak of body but through gods good hand upon me at this present writing in perfect memory and understanding doe make and ordain this as my last will and testament."

"Imprimus: I doe give and bequeath my soul unto god in the name, meritts and mediation of the lord Jesus Christ in whose Righteousness I hope to be accepted with the father."

"And my body to Christian burial as my executors shall see meet, hoping for a glorious Resurrection at the last and great day."

"As for the portion of this worlds goods that god (hath) given and continued to me my will is that my Just Debts being paid the Remainder to be disposed of as followeth: as for the Rest of my children I have done what hath been with me and now I have not expectation of being any more capable to help myself wherefore I do give and bequeath my land unto my sonn

Moses Rowlee that is to say my half of the lott I now live upon (the other half I have given all Ready to my son Matthew) to be equally divided between my sons Moses and Matthew. I also give unto my son Moses that twenty five pound right that I formerly gave to Matthew, which my son Matthew hath lovingly Relinquished again to me."

"I give and bequeath to my daughter Mehitabell fuller all my moveables both flock and household stuff whether without door or within."

"I give and bequeath half my young mare unto my son Matthew. My will further is and it is upon the account of not only what my sons Moses Rowlee and John ffuller hath done for me and been kind to me but especially their willingness to take the care of me and my wife during our naturall lives and I doe expect that care and kindness of them that is meet and needfull both to myself and my wife and I therefore have done what I have done to oblidge them what I cane and doe Repose my trust next under god upon these my two sons Moses Rowlee and John ffuller for what I shall and for what my wife shall stand in need of between this and the grave."

"and I doe further give to my son Moses Rowlee my meadow lot and further be it known that my son Moses is to pay my just debts and moreover my will is that all the above legacies given to my children is to them and their heirs, executors, administrators and assigns forever, furthermore I doe nominate, appoint and ordain my loving sons Moses Rowlee and John ffuller executors of this my last will & testament as witness my hand & seale."

Hadam 16 of August, 1704

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Elizabeth (Rowley) Fuller was second child of Matthew and grand-daughter of John and Margaret (Balls) Fuller of Redenhall, Norfolk, Eng. Matthew Fuller was baptized Oct. 16, 1603. He did not come in the *Mayflower* but remained with friends in England until about 1640, when he came over to Plymouth. At this time he was married and a parent. Of his early history, little is known, but he was doubtless acquiring the knowledge of surgery and military affairs which he afterward put to such good use. In April, 1642, ten acres of land were granted him in Plymouth, and in the same year he was juryman and propounded freeman of the Colony, but was not sworn and admitted until June 7, 1653. In 1643, he was appointed sergeant in the military company of the Colony, of which Miles Standish was captain. About 1650, he removed to Barnstable. In 1653, he represented that town in the Colony Court, and was already lieutenant of the militia there. June 20, 1654, he was appointed lieutenant under Capt. Standish of the Company of fifty men, the quota of Plymouth Colony, in the proposed expedition against the Dutch at Manhattan. All preparations had been made, when news of peace arrived and further service became unnecessary. Oct. 2, 1658, he was elected one of the Council of War, and in 1671 its chairman, and one of the magistrates of the Colony, and in the same year lieutenant of the forces to be sent against the Saconet Indians. Dec. 17, 1673, he was appointed Surgeon-General of the Colony troops, and also of those of Massachusetts, if that Colony approved. For this service he was allowed 4 shillings a day. In King Phillip's War he was captain of the Plymouth forces. In the Quaker controversy, Capt. Fuller took a noble stand in favor of religious toleration. He lived near neighbor to some of the most prominent of the Quakers, and was connected by marriage alliances with some who felt the severity of the laws passed against the sect. He went so far as to censure this law in strong terms in public. For this he was fined by the magistrates. Though indiscreet in speech, the court continued to confer offices of trust and honor upon him,—a most unusual course which shows that his honor and bravery were never doubted. In his public and private life he was a man of sound judgment, of good understanding, faithful in performance of duty, liberal in politics, tolerant in religion. Captain Fuller

was also the first regular physician who settled in Barnstable. His homestead was in the northwest corner of Barnstable, at Scroton Neck. He also possessed large tracts in Falmouth and Middleboro, granted for the eminent services he had rendered the Colony. His will was dated July 20, 1678, and was proved Oct. 30th following. His estate was appraised at £667,04,06, a very large amount for those times. Among the items is the following: "Pearls, precious stones, and diamonds, at a guess, £200."

Children born at Barnstable:—

i. Mary, b. March 20, 1653; m. Jan. 7, 1675, to John Weeks, of Falmouth.
ii. Moses, b. Nov. 10, 1654; m. Mary Fletcher (?).
iii. _____, b._____; "the dafter of Moses Rowley Senior died the 15 day of November bured 16 Day November 1682." Falmouth records.
3 iv. Shubael, b. Jan. 11, 1660; m. Catherine Crippen.
v. Mehitabel, b. Jan. 11, 1660; m. John Fuller.
vi. Sarah, b. Sept. 16, 1662; was living in 1700 at East Haddam, but perhaps died before her father.
vii. Aaron, b. May 1, 1666; m. Mary Weeks.
viii. John, b. Oct. 22, 1667.
ix. Matthew, b. _____; m. Joanna _____.
x. Nathan, b._____; m. Mercy Hatch.

3. Shubael Rowley (Moses[2], Henry[1]), b. Jan. 11, 1660, in Barnstable; d. March 28, 1714, at Colchester, Conn.; m. Catherine, dau. of Thomas Crippen, of Falmouth and East Haddam; she d. probably at Colchester, after 1719, but the date is not found. She conveyed all her right in her husband's estate to her son-in-law, Edward Fuller, on the promise of support during her life. Shubael Rowley was in (East) Haddam as early as 1693, for on Oct. 4 of that year he conveyed land there to "his father Moses Rowley, cordwainer, of Sockanesset in the County of Barnstable and Colony of Plymouth." On Nov. 19, 1700, he sold his Haddam lands to Timothy Fuller, of Machimoodus, and removed to Colchester. The names of his children are from the settlement of his estate (Hartford Probate Rec., Vol. VIII, p. 224). The older children were born at Falmouth, the younger probably at (East) Haddam. Children:—

i. Isaac, b. about 1683; m. Hannah Harris.
4 ii. Shubael, b. about 1686; m. Hannah Brown.
iii. Thomas, b. about 1690; m. Mary Cornwall.
iv. Matthew, b. about 1692; m._____.
v. Elizabeth, b. about 1695; m. Edward Fuller.
vi. Elnathan, b. about 1697; m. Abigail Cone.
vii. Mary, b. about 1700; m. Feb. 25, 1720, Thomas Lewis, of Colchester.
viii. Jabez, b. about 1702; m. Tabitha Harris.

4. Shubel Rowley (Shubael[3], Moses[2], Henry[1]), b. about 1686, in Falmouth or Barnstable; m. May 8, 1709, to Hannah Brown of Colchester, probably daughter of John Brown, who died in 1707 at Colchester, leaving wife and six children. Hannah was born in 1688. In 1734 they were living in North Castle, Westchester County, N. Y.

The records of the town of North Castle reveal the following:

April 6, 1736, Shubel Rowley was elected Assessor, or as it is recorded (Sessor), and Highway Master.

April 5, 1737, Shubel Rowley was elected Fence Viewer and Appraiser (Prisor) of damages for old Poundridge.

April 4, 1738, Shubel Rowley was elected Fence Viewer and Appraiser of damages for old Poundridge.

April 3, 1739, Shubel Rowley was elected Appraiser of damages and Fence Viewer for old Poundridge.

Shubel Rowley used the spelling for his Christian name as here given, and his descendants for three generations apparently did also. Whether his father also used that spelling is uncertain since clerks and compilers have in many cases substituted the spelling Shubael. Whether he and his father used the spelling for the family name as here given (Rowley) or used the spelling Rowlee as did his grandfather in his will and his sons and later generations, must for the present be left unsettled.

Their first seven children are recorded at Colchester. It seems probable that they also had a son Shubel, b. after they left Colchester.

i. Mercy, b. April 30, 1710.
ii. Hannah, b. March 10, 1712.
iii. Elizabeth, b. Oct. 3, 1714.
iv. A daughter, b. Dec. 12, 1716; d. Jan. 10, 1717.
v. Experience, b. Aug. 8, 1718.
5. vi. Matthew, b. Oct. 8, 1720; m. _____.
vii. Patience, b. Aug. 16, 1723.
viii. Shubel, b. about 1625; m. Joanna, and had sons Jonathan and Shubel, and probably others. (For Family Record, see p. —.)

5. Matthew Rowlee, b. Aug. 8, 1720, at Colchester, Conn.; m.-------. He was living in the vicinity of Carmel between 1750 and 1760, for Matthew and Shubel Rowlee signed a call in 1755–6, for Mr. Ebenezer Knibloe as pastor, from the Western Society of Philippi (Carmel).

The Register of Baptisms in the West. Soc. of Philips Patent has: Shubel Rowlee and his spouse had their daughter Patience baptised April 11, 1756. Matthew Rowlee and his spouse had their son Elijah baptised Jan 2, 1757.

Marriage Records of Amenia by Rev. Ebenezer Knibloe (*N. Y. Gen. & Biog. Record*, XXXIII, 47): Nathaniel Rowlee m. Kezia Davis, Sept. 11, 1765. Abel Rowlee m. Susannah Connet, April 15, 1773.

Military Records from Bureau of Pensions, Washington: Daniel Rowlee enlisted at Fredericksburg three successive years, 1776, 1777, and 1778. His residence is given at Fredericksburg, Dutchess Co. His date of birth is April 20, 1759. He served the last year in Capt. David Hecock's Co.

Elijah Rowlee also enlisted from Pawling in Capt. Hecock's Coompany.

The following connection between the Orange County and Dutchess County families seems most likely: Shubel of the two places is identical. Heman of Orange County is son of Matthew of Dutchess County. Nathaniel, Abel, Daniel and Elijah may also have been sons of Matthew.

That Heman Rowlee and Shubel Rowlee were of close kinship appears evident from the fact that the names of both appear in the same family records, namely Heman's. They might have been brothers but from the dates, and the text of their wills, it seems more probable that Shubel was Heman's uncle.

The period of migration, *i. e.*, the last half of the eighteenth century, scattered families so that, especially in the pioneer districts, the evidence of genetic connection is scant or lost altogether.

The family name is spelled differently from the commonly accepted English form. The spelling "Rowlee" is used by the first Moses in signing his will, and his son Matthew signed in the same form, as a witness. During the eighteenth century, the spelling "Rowlee" was used by a considerable number of

families, some of whom afterward returned to the original "ley." Heman's children and grandchildren were always insistent that "Rowlee" was right. One of the former's grandsons, Charles S. Rowley, wrote as follows in a letter to his aunt, dated Nov. 21, 1854: "You will observe that I spell our surname a little different from the *old* way. After I grew up, I saw some one write it in this way and it took my fancy and I have written it so since some ten or fifteen years." The children of Elijah Rowlee (21) also have adopted the spelling Rowley.

It seems, therefore, probable that the spelling "Rowlee" has been used by some of his descendants continuously since the time of Moses, son of Henry the Colonist. It also appears that officials, ministers, justices and clerks, most often used the English spelling "Rowley," although the persons themselves persisted in writing the name "Rowlee."

OTHER ROWLEE FAMILIES OF ORANGE COUNTY

There were other Rowlees or Rowleys contemporaneous with Heman in Orange County.

Shubel Rowlee. He and his wife, Joanna, mortgaged to David Johnson, of New York City, for £72, 106½ acres of land in the precinct of Goshen, May 22, 1775. The land was purchased of the said David Johnson on May 22, 1775. This mortgage was paid and discharged in 1786. (Orange County Clerk's Office.)

Shubel Rowlee. His will dated May 21, 1795, and probated Sept. 21, 1799, alludes to himself as "weak in body," gives to his wife Joanna, and his son Jonathan, as heirs, his farm in the town of Warwick, Orange County. He makes his son Jonathan and Frances Armstrong executors. (Surrogate's Office, Orange County.)

Jonathan Rowlee. He is recorded in the family records of Heman Rowlee as follows: "Jonathan's son, Shubell Arnold, b. June 10, 1792." (Family records of Heman Rowlee.)

Amy Rowlee. (Possibly wife of Jonathan) Daughter of Caleb Smith, of Warwick. Caleb Smith d. 1818. Lydia Rowlee (dau. of Heman) witness to Caleb Smith's will in 1818. (Private records of J. C. Coleman.)

Harris Rowlee and wife ------, had a son Reuben Milford, bap. Aug. 6, 1825; son Lorenzo, bap. Aug. 6, 1825. (Church Records, Orange County.)

William Rowley and his wife, Margaret Smith, had a son William Smith, b. Jan. 24, 1776; bap. March 23, 1781. (Church Records, Orange County.)

Constant Rowlee. He was witness to the will of Robert Finn, April 25, 1780. (Private records of J. C. Coleman.)

THE LAST WILL OF SHUBEL ROWLEE

OF WARWICK, ORANGE COUNTY, N. Y.

In the name of God, Amen. I, Shubal Rowley of the town of Warwick in the County of Orange and state of New York farmer being weak in body, but of sound disposing mind and memory and knowing that it is appointed for all men to die, do make and ordain this my last will and testament in manner and form following, viz. 1st, I recommend my soul to that God who gave it and my body to the grave to be buried at the direction of my executors in decent Christian burial and as touching my worldly estate which God has been pleased to give me I dispose of it in manner and form following, viz.—I give and bequeath unto my beloved wife, Joanna, the full use of the house in which I now live together with all the household furniture, loom and tackling with all the implements thereunto belonging, one side saddle, one horse, one cow, and six sheep; the house, cow and sheep to be kept by my son Jonathan during her natural life or widowhood and all the above premises to be at her disposal except the house and horse which my son Jonathan is to have at her decease or marriage. I give and bequeath unto my son Jonathan Rowlee all my lands and tenements together with all my other buildings, horses, oxen, cows, young cattle, sheep, hogs and all implements of farming movable and unmovable now to me belonging. But if any person or persons should dispossess my widow of the house I now leave to her use then my son Jonathan is obliged by this will to furnish his said mother with a comfortable house to live in and fire wood sufficient so long as she remain my widow.

And lastly I do ordain constitute and appoint Jonathan Rowlee and Francis Armstrong, Sr., Executors of this my last will and testament and I do utterly disannul and make void all former wills by me made declaring this and this only to be my last will and testament. In testamony hereof I have here unto set my hand and seal this 21st day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety-five. In presence of Jonathan Thompson, Isaac Allison and Isaac Smith.

SHUBELL ROWLEE.

Shubel Rowlee mentions only his widow and son Jonathan in his will, but there are reasons for believing that he had at least another son,—Shubel Rowlee of Wells, Pa. The latter's father's name was Shubel, and he was born in 1765, and migrated from Orange County to Bradford County, Pa., about 1800.

FAMILY RECORD

The following record of Shubel Rowlee's family [of Bradford Co.] is from an old family Bible in the possession of his granddaughter, Mrs. R. R. Berry (Sarah Elizabeth Rowlee) of Seely Creek, Chemung County, N. Y.

BIRTHS

Shubel Rowlee was born May 10th, 1765.

Shubel Rowlee and Elizabeth Wright was married January 4th, 1786.

James W. Rowlee was born March 14th, 1787.

Peter Rowlee was born October 27th, 1788.

George Rowlee was born January 15th, 1793.

Patty Rowlee was born January 11th, 1795.

Shubel Rowlee was born March 15th, 1797.

Jonathan Rowlee was born April 5th, 1799.

Elizabeth Rowlee was born June 18th, 1801.

Ananias Rowlee was born March 21st, 1809.

This Record taken April 28th, 1833.

MY FATHER'S FAMILY.

(Written by Mrs. Berry)

Shubel Rowlee and Caroline Osgood were married December 31st, 1818.

John Rowlee was born Saturday, November, 20th, 1819. Died July 9th, 1834.

Rosette Rowlee was born Monday, August 10th, 1829.

Sarah Elizabeth Rowlee was born Monday, March 29th, 1840.

DEATHS

Shubel Rowlee died July 1st, 1839.

Elizabeth Rowlee died April the 7th, 1813.

Patty died October 31st, 1855.

Ananias Rowlee died Oct. 12th, 1866.

Jonathan Rowlee May 12th, 1869.

Peter Rowlee March 9th, 1871.

Shubel Rowlee April 5th, 1879.

CHILDREN OF LIEUT. HEMAN AND LYDIA (SEELY) ROWLEE.

(Arranged in order, beginning with top row at the left.)

ELIJAH (1780–1860)

HEMAN (1787–1866).

LYDIA S. (1788–1852)

ELIZABETH (1791–1879)

PART II—GENEALOGY

HEMAN ROWLEE AND HIS DESCENDANTS

FIRST GENERATION.

1.

1. HEMAN ROWLEE was b. Nov. 14, 1746; he d. Dec. 26, 1818, and with his wife is buried in the Amity burying ground; m. Jan. 9, 1770, Lydia Seely, b. Dec. 26, 1749. His will in the Surrogate's office of Orange Co. is dated June 13, 1817, probated Jan. 2, 1819. He served in the Revolutionary army as Lieut. in the Florida & Warwick Co. of the 4th Reg't, Orange Co. Militia, serving under Col. John Hathorn. Heman Rowlee purchased land in Warwick, Orange Co., and gave a mortgage upon it, Nov. 16, 1769, to William Wickham of same precinct. This mortgage was paid Dec. 13, 1775. Heman Rowlee (a mason) and wife sold to John Post of Warwick (a farmer), 6½ acres in the town of Warwick, on May 29, 1800. Heman Rowlee took a mortgage from Wm. Adams of Warwick, upon 55½ acres, 32 rds., for $125, Jan. 5, 1808. He and his wife deeded to Heman Rowlee, Jr., 25½ acres in Warwick, June 15, 1814, for $550. Their children were:—

2 i. SARAH, b. May 19, 1771.
ii. LOIS, b. Nov. 16, 1772; d. April 1, 1847; never m.
3 iii. CHARLES, b. Jan. 14, 1774.
4 iv. MATTHEW, b. Sept. 30, 1777.
5 v. ELIJAH, b. Jan. 8, 1780.
6 vi. NATHAN, b. April 6, 1782.
7 vii. MARY, b. April 15, 1785.
viii. HEMAN, b. Aug. 27, 1787; d. May 30, 1866; m. Ruth Cooley; d. before her husband. No children.
ix. LYDIA S., b. Feb. 5, 1789; d. Aug. 30, 1852. Never m.
8 x. ELIZABETH, b. Aug. 29, 1791.

SECOND GENERATION.

2.

SARAH ROWLEE, eldest child of Heman, b. May 19, 1771, at Warwick, Orange Co., N. Y., m. ------ to -------- Curtice (Curtis). She d. May 16, 1801 "aged 29 years, 11 months and 29 days." Children :

i. JOEL, b. ---------- "I also will unto my grandson Joel Curtis two dollars and fifty cents."—Heman Rowlee, Sr.'s will. No other Curtises are mentioned. No Curtis is mentioned in the settlement of the estate of Lydia S. Rowlee in 1752. In what appears to be a preliminary citation to heirs for the probate of the will of Heman Rowlee, Jr., in 1866, Joel Curtis of Brooklyn, N. Y., is mentioned. In the final printed citation of this will (see p. 19) his name does not appear, but instead the following, who are probably his children :—i. Jane Curtis, residing in the City of Brooklyn in 1866; ii. John W. Curtis, residing in the City of New York in 1866; iii. Francis Pell, residing in the City of New York in 1866; iv. William Curtis, residence unknown in 1866.

3.

CHARLES ROWLEE, first son and third child of Heman, b. Jan. 14, 1774, at Warwick, Orange Co., N. Y., m. Feb. 11, 1797 to "Choziah" (Kosia) Roads. She was b. Jan. 15, 1782. "Charles Rowlee was drowned December the 19th, 1799, aged twenty-five years eleven months and five days." They had :—

i. *LIDYA, b. June 3, 1798.

10 ii. CHARLOTTE, b. June 3, 1799.

4.

MATTHEW ROWLEE, fourth child and second son of Heman, b. Sept. 30, 1777, at Warwick, Orange Co., N. Y.; m. Elizabeth Beers, Jan. 15, 1801. She was b. Feb. 12, 1778. They lived between Edenville and Amity, near the eastern base of Mt. Eve. He was a blacksmith. According to the New York Census of 1807, Matthew Rowlee rented property in Warwick, Orange Co., of annual value of more than £20. "Mat-

* Nothing further is known concerning her. She may have died young; or she may be identical with Charlotte, as they are not mentioned together in any family records.

thew Rowlee and Elizabeth, his wife, were baptized and admitted to the Amity Presbyterian church at Amity 1816" (Church Rec.). "John Beers, Betsey Ann, Lois, Eliza Jane, Lydia, and Daniel C. Hopkins, infants of Matthew and Elizabeth Rowlee, were bapt. at Amity Presbyterian Church, Feb. 14, 1822." (Church Rec.) Matthew Rowlee d. June 28, 1851, his wife Oct. 6, 1849, and both were buried in the Amity burying-ground. Their graves are unmarked.

They had eight children, all born in Warwick, Orange Co., N. Y.:—

i. CHARLES, b. May 5, 1802; d. of tetanus after an accident.
12 ii. SALLY MARIA, b. July 16, 1804.
13 iii. JOHN BEERS, b. Feb. 20, 1807.
14 iv. ELIZABETH ANN, b. Sept. 16, 1809.
15 v. LOIS, b. April 30, 1812.
16 vi. ELIZA JANE, b. Feb. 27, 1815.
17 vii. LYDIA, b. Feb. 18, 1817.
18 viii. DANIEL CORWIN HOPKINS, b. May 8, 1820.

5.

ELIJAH ROWLEE, fifth child and third son of Heman, was b. Jan. 8, 1780, at Warwick, Orange Co., N. Y. He m. about 1804, Millicent, dau. of Jonathan and Miriam (Strong) Sheppard. The church records of the Amity (Presbyterian) Church show that Elijah and Millicent Rowlee were admitted to Communion by certificate, from Scotchtown, Oct. 30, 1813, and were dismissed May 3, 1817. The Orange Co. records (Lib. K. p. 325) show that on the 17th of May, 1808, Elijah Rowlee and Millicent, his wife, and Nathan Rowlee and Doratha, his wife, of the towns of Warwick and Minisink, gave a deed of 70½ acres of land in the town of Minisink to Charles Wood, consideration $1100. They probably migrated in the summer of 1817 to Western New York, for their son, Jonathan Sheppard, was born Feb. 5, 1818, "in the town of Milo, three miles from Penn Yan." They finally settled near Monterey, town of Orange, Steuben Co., N. Y. He d. about 1864 and was bur. in Genoa Cem., De Kalb Co., Ill. "He cast his last vote for Abraham Lincoln for President." (Hake's Landmarks of Steuben Co., pt. II, p. 32, states that Ezra, son of Jonathan and Miriam (Strong) Sheppard, came to Cohocton with his family prior to the war of 1812.) Their children were:—

19 i. HEMAN, b. 1806.
20 ii. LYDIA JANE, b. April 29, 1810.
21 iii. ELIJAH CORWIN, b. 1813 (?).
22 iv. MILLICENT, b. Jan. 10, 1823.
23 v. JONATHAN SHEPPARD, b. Feb. 18, 1818.
vi. PHOEBE,* b. _____ ; m. Sherwood Lord. Lived in Union, Ill., and d. and was bur. there June, 1892. They had no children.
vii. SARAH ANN, * b. ____ ___ ; d. young.
viii. ABRAM,* b. _____ ; was drowned near Fultonville, N. Y., while bathing. Never married,
ix. TEMPY,* b. _____.

6.

NATHAN ROWLEE, sixth child and third son of Heman, b. April 6, 1782 ; m. 1st, Dorothy Carr,† of Orange Co. She was b. 1783. He was admitted to communion in the Florida

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* The date of birth of the last four children is unknown. None of them had families.

†ANCESTRY OF DOROTHY (CARR) ROWLEE. Dorothy Carr, b. Dec. 21, 1783 near Pine Island, Orange Co., N. Y., bapt. at Florida Presbyterian church, June 19, 1799, together with brothers and sisters (Dorothy, apparently the eldest) John, Hannah, Anna, Nathan, David and Samuel. She m. Nathan Rowlee about 1803. All joined the same church in 1815 and 1816, and in addition, Eleanor, who may have been a child born after 1799. She was a daughter of John and Amy (Armstrong) Carr.

John Carr, was born probably as early as 1750. He was son of William Carr deceased in 1783, who was a Scotch-Irish emigrant. John Carr was a Revolutionary soldier, and served in the Orange Co. Militia, and possibly also in the regular continental army. He had a brother Wm., Jr., who married Deboriah _____, and also lived in Orange Co. Records show that John Carr was a blacksmith. He married Amy Armstrong about 1782.

Amy (Armstrong) Carr was daughter of John Armstrong.

The facts set forth in Eager's account of the Armstrong lineage is apparently erroneous in certain particulars. The following is based upon Dr. Coleman's researches in Orange Co. and upon records collected by J. Whit. Wood and his father, of Phillipsburg, N. J., who are descendants of Mary, the youngest child of Francis Armstrong, the emigrant. Mr. Wood has in his possession the original memoranda book, kept by Francis Armstrong.

Francis Armstrong was from Ulster County, Ireland. He was no doubt a member of one of the Scotch families of the name who had migrated to Ireland. He was married to Miss Deborah Lattimore, Feb. 1, 1721. The family tradition is that she was a descendant of Bishop Lattimore. They with their first born son, William, in arms, came to America in 1723.

PresbyterianChurch, April 14, 1813 ; she on April 23, 1816. They lived in Orange County until about 1817, then migrated to Groton, N. Y., and from there in 1826, to Fulton, N. Y. He was a stone mason by trade. All but two of their children went to Fulton with them. Dorothy (Carr) Rowlee d. in 1834. Nathan m. 2d, Widow Graham, by whom he had no children. He d. Feb. 15, 1839. Both were first buried in the old Fulton Cem. at the corner of 7th and Utica Sts. Their remains and

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They left their old home Aug. 6, of that year, and turned their faces westward "to Amarach." They sailed from Londonderry Loch on the ship "Main," Sept. 11, 1723, and landed in New York "ye 10 of December following."

About 1760, Mrs. Deborah Armstrong died. In 1762 Mr. Armstrong married Mrs. Mary Ayers, widow of Rev. Enos Ayers, the first pastor of the old and honored church at Blooming Grove, Orange Co., N. Y. The second Mrs. Armstrong, before marriage was Miss Mary Thompson. It is said she was "esteemed to be remarkably pious." The will of Francis Armstrong mentions wife Martha (?). Francis Armstrong died in 1785 at the good old age of ninety. The second Mrs. Armstrong survived him twenty years. By the second marriage there were no children. He had the following :—

i. William, b. 1722.
ii. Archibald.
iii. *John, b. Nov, 10, 1727.*
iv. Robert.
v. Elsie.
vi. Francis.
vii. James.
viii. David.
ix. Elizabeth.
x. Mary.

John Armstrong, third child of Francis and Deborah (Lattimore) b. Nov. 10, 1727, on the Armstrong farm, near Florida, Orange Co., N. Y., m. Polly McWhorter. They settled at Sugar Loaf, Orange Co., where he died in 1797. His will mentions wife Sarah, (she was his second wife and d. in 1807), grandson John, son of James Armstrong, dec'd, Anne, wife of Anthony Vaughan ; Jane, wife of John Hall ; Sarah, wife of Gilbert Saxton ; Amy, wife of John Carr ; Martha, wife of David Owens ; Phoebe, wife of Gersham Wells.

His executors were his brother Francis Armstrong and Major Henry Bartholf, both of Warwick.

Witnesses to the will were : Robert McWhorter, James, Hannah, and David Howells.

There is a family tradition that the name Armstrong originally, was bestowed upon a Highland Chief for his great courage and physical powers of

their gravestones were removed to the Mt. Pleasant Cem. about 1870.

Nathan Rowlee and Dorothy, his wife, had ten children :—

24 i. JOHN CARR, b. May 15, 1805.
ii. ABIRAM L., b. 1807, was baptised Sept. 4, 1813, at the Presbyterian Church, Florida, N. Y. He was drowned in the Erie Canal in 1825.
25 iii. CHARLES SEELY, b. March 27, 1811.
26 iv. GEORGE WASHINGTON, b. March 9, 1813.
27 v. HARRIET, b. Aug. 9, 1815.
28 vi. NATHAN, b. 1817.
29 vii. ESQUIRE, b. April 8, 1819.
30 viii. DOROTHY, b. May 30, 1821.
31 ix. HEMAN, b. Jan. 5, 1823.
x. DANIEL, b. about 1825; died about 1885; never married; always lived with his brother John.

7.

MARY ROWLEE was b. in Warwick, N. Y., April 15, 1785. The "Records of the Dutch Reformed Church," under the caption "Marriages celebrated in the congregation of Warwick, N. Y.," has the following entry: "Sept. 19, 1806, Jno. Blauvelt to Polly Rowley." By the State Census of 1807, John Blauvelt is recorded as renting property of an annual value of £20 or over." For some time they lived in Orange Co., he being engaged with his father in buying cattle and horses "up state" and selling them in New York City, where they also lived for

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body, and whose death was in this wise: In some battle or border fray, being clad in armor, he accepted the challenge of the champion of the opposite clan to single combat, he killed his antagonist. The next day a similar challenge was given by another champion, and again accepted by him—he again killed his antagonist. The next day a challenge was given by another and accepted by him. After the combat had been hotly maintained for a short time his horse was observed to turn back and come up to the ranks with his rider dead, still sitting in the saddle.

Scott knew well the character of the Armstrongs for courage and patriotism; for when the chief was about to assemble his clans for some great enterprise, he says to his summoning heralds in the "Lay of the Last Minstrel"—

"Ye need not go to Liddisdale,
For when they see the blazing bale
Elliots and Armstrongs never fail."

some time. She was admitted to the Amity Presbyterian Church "on examination" Nov. 13, 1814, and was dismissed Sept. 18, 1820. It was about this latter date that they removed to the lake region of Western New York, for their daughter Mary was born in 1824, at Hector, Schuyler Co., N. Y. Her father, in his will, made in 1817, bequeathed $50 to the heirs of John Blauvelt. Neither she nor any of her children are mentioned in the settlement of the estate of her aunt, Lydia S. Rowlee, in 1852. Mary (Rowlee) Blauvelt d. Sept. 29, 1849, at Chemung, N. Y. John Blauvelt was b. April 16, 1780, in Rockland Co., N. Y., and d. Aug. 16, 1861, at Rome, Bradford Co., Pa. Both are buried in Pond Hill Cem., Bradford Co., Pa.

Their children were :—

32 i. ELIJAH ROWLEE, b. Aug. 27, 1807.
33 ii. JANE, b. Sept. 5, 1808.
34 iii. LYDIA ANN, b. July 10, 1810.
35 iv. SALLY, b. July 7, 1812.
v. CHARITY, b. Sept. 21, 1817 ; d. March 11, 1833, of pneumonia contracted by falling into water in winter.
36 vi. JAMES, b. Aug. 11, 1820.
37 vii. MARY, b. May 19, 1824.
38 viii. JOHN MCDOWELL, b. Jan. 27, 1827.

8.

ELIZABETH ROWLEE, b. Aug. 30, 1796, at Warwick, Orange Co., N. Y.; m. Daniel Coe, May 17, 1810. He was b. Jan. 19, 1788, at Haverstraw-on-Hudson, and was of English descent. They were farmers and lived near Florida, Orange Co., N. Y., until his death in 1866. She then removed to Groton, N. Y., together with her daughter, Sally, who kept house and took care of her until her death in 1879. They rented a house on the farm owned by Wm. Underwood. She d. Oct. 19, 1879.

39 i. SALLY, b. Feb. 25, 1811.
40 ii. ELIZA MARIE, b. April 28, 1813.
41 iii. JOHN, b. Oct. 27, 1815.
42 iv. CHARLOTTE, b. Oct. 11, 1817.
43 v. LYDIA ANN, b. Dec. 8, 1826.

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10.

CHARLOTTE ROWLEE, dau. of Charles, b. June 3, 1799, m. Apr. 20, 1822, to Gabriel Curtis. He was b. April 19, 1800, in the State of New York, and d. March 15th, 1847. She d. Sept. 1, 1828. They had the following children :—

47 i. LOIS KOZIA, b. Feb. 14, 1823.
ii. CHARLES, b. Jan. 23, 1825, "in N. Y." d. Jan. 24, 1825.
48 iii. ELIZABETH, b. Sept. 27, 1826.

12.

SALLY MARIA ROWLEE, dau. of Matthew, b. July 16, 1804 ; m. George Wood*, and they lived in Veteran, Chemung Co., N. Y. She d. April 25, 1879, and is buried in the Van Duzer Cem., Veteran, N. Y. He d. Nov. 26, 1854.

They had eight children :—

49 i. ANNA ELIZA, b. Sept. 8, 1823.
50 ii. WILLIAM HENRY, b. March 20, 1825.
51 iii. COE HARVEY, b. Dec. 24, 1827.
52 iv. ANDREW JACKSON, b. April 23, 1830.
53 v. GEORGE WASHINGTON, b. April 23, 1830.
54 vi. MATTHEW ROWLEE, b. Nov. 21, 1834.
55 vii. ISRAEL R., b. Oct. 14, 1838.
56 viii. JOHN ABNER, b. May 8, 1842.
ix. JULIA, b. Sept. 24, 1845 ; d. unmarried.

13.

JOHN BEERS ROWLEE, son of Matthew, b. Feb. 20, 1807 ; m. Sarah Ann Gedney. He was a carman and lived for many

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*In the family Bible of George Wood occurs the following entries relating evidently to his brothers and sisters.

Julian Wood, b. Sept. 23, 1788.

George Wood, b. May 22, 1791.

Abner Wood, b. Oct. 9, 1793. "Departed this life, aged 53 years."

Eley Wood, b. Oct. 13, 1797 ; d. April 27, 1819.

Coe Wood, b. April 16, 1802 ; d. Feb. 8, 1861, at Florida.

John R. Wood, b. March 13, 1804.

years at 324 Dean St., Brooklyn. During his entire life he was active in church and Sabbath school work. He d. Feb. 11, 1884, and is buried in the Mamaroneck Cem., in Westchester Co., N. Y.

They had four children :—

57 i. ELIZABETH, b. Feb. 23, 1836.
58 ii. GEORGE THORBURN, b. March 25, 1840.
59 iii. CARRIE GEDNEY, b. Aug. 28, 1842.
60 iv. JOHN WILLIAM, b. July 22, 1845.

14.

ELIZABETH ANN ROWLEE, dau. of Matthew, b. Sept. 16, 1809; m. Elias Ogden Goble, Jan. 31, 1829, son of Nathan and Sarah (Hammond) Goble. He was b. Nov. 14, 1799, was a prosperous farmer, and lived at Amity until 1850, after that near Florida, Orange Co. She is buried in the Florida Cem. He d. June 12, 1888.

They had ten children :—

61 i. WILLIAM TIMLOW, b. April 27, 1830.
62 ii. SARAH ELIZABETH, b. Jan. 14, 1833.
63 iii. NATHAN, b. Jan. 17, 1835.
64 iv. JOHN ROWLEE, b. June 7, 1837.
65 v. ALLETTA, b. Dec. 24, 1839.
66 vi. EMILY JANE, b. May 5, 1842.
67 vii. ANNA MARIA, b. Oct. 12, 1844.
68 viii. MARY ALICE, b. July 18, 1847.
69 ix. LYDIA ELLEN, b. Sept. 25, 1849.
70 x. HARRIET WATSON, b. June 7, 1854.

15.

LOIS ROWLEE, dau. of Matthew, b. April 30, 1812; m. Frank Storms. She lived in Newburg, N. Y., and d. March 23, 1891. He was drowned in the Hudson River about 1867.

Children :

i. CHARLES, d. young.
ii. AMSEY, d. young.
70a iii. SAMUEL.
iv. SARAH ELIZABETH, b. Oct. 28, 1844; d. Apr., 1895, at New York; bur. at Haverstraw; never married; lived in New York.
v. SUSAN A., b. Jan. 5, 1846; m. to Jacob Jaeger, at Newburg; d. Apr. 4, 1891, at Yonkers, and buried in Mt. Repose Cem. Haverstraw; no children; lived at Yonkers.
70b vi. JOHN.

16.

ELIZA JANE ROWLEE, dau. of Matthew, b. Feb. 27, 1815; m. March 28, 1835, to George Ball. She d. Nov. 4, 1898, at 237 Lenox Ave., New York, and is buried in the Florida Cem.

Their children were :—

71 i. CHARLES HENRY, b. Sept. 4, 1837.
72 ii. EMMA ELIZABETH, b. Dec. 26, 1843.
73 iii. GEORGE, b. April 15, 1854.

17.

LYDIA ROWLEE, dau. of Matthew, b. Feb. 17, 1817; m. Enoch Wright. She d. at Middletown, N. Y., April 7, 1899, and is buried at Phillipsburg, N. Y.

She had two children :—

74 i. JOHN WILLIAM, b. Nov. 4, 1843.
75 ii. ELIZABETH, b. May 12, 1847.

18.

DANIEL CORWIN HOPKINS ROWLEE, son of Matthew, b. May 8, 1820; m. 1st, Mary Adelia Parrott, at Ridgbury, Orange Co., N. Y., Dec. 31, 1842; 2d, Mary Ann Parrott, at Middletown, N. Y., Sept. 26, 1858. His wives were cousins. He lived at Barryville, Sullivan Co., N. Y., and was a Sunday School superintendent for many years. He d. at Port Jervis, N. Y., Jan. 31, 1892, and was buried in Hillside Cem., Barryville, N. Y. He was named for Daniel Corwin Hopkins, the preacher who organized the Amity church.

By his first wife he had six children; by his second, two :—

76 i. CHARLOTTE E., b. March 30, 1844.
ii. JOHN MATTHEW, b. Dec. 21, 1846, at Ridgbury; d. Oct. 10, 1848. in New York City.
77 iii. SARAH JANE, b. Nov. 30, 1848.
iv. MARY EMMELINE, b. Sept. 21, 1850, at Williamsburg, N. Y.; d. April 30, 1858, in Brooklyn, N. Y.
78 v. EMMA CAROLINE, b. Jan. 9, 1853.
vi. DANIEL, b. July 8, 1855; d. in New York City, July 3, 1859.

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vii. ELLA, b. June 23, 1859; d. Sept. 7, 1859.
viii. MARGARET ADELIA, b. Oct. 20, 1861, at Barryville, N. Y.; d. June 5, 1889, at same place, and buried in Hillside Cem.

19.

HEMAN ROWLEE, son of Elijah, b. 1806 in Orange Co., N. Y.; m. 1st to ——— Carpenter; 2nd to Mary Evelith; 3rd to Elmira Chrisjohn. He lived at Monterey, Steuben Co.; d. Aug. 25, 1889, and was buried in the Monterey Cem.

He had one child by his second wife :—

79 i. LOUISA, b. July 5, 1833.

20.

LYDIA JANE ROWLEE, dau. of Elijah, b. April 29, 1810, in Orange Co., N. Y.; m. to John Finch, b. March 7, 1805. They were m. in Steuben Co., N. Y., and removed to Reedtown, Seneca Co., Ohio, where they lived forty-five years. About 1880 they removed to Montpelier, Blackford Co., Ind., where she d. Jan. 12, 1887, and is buried in the I. O. O. F. Cem.

They had three children :—

i. An infant.

80 ii. PHŒBE, b. July 8, 1832.

iii. ELIJAH, b. Oct. 17, 1834, at Reedtown, Seneca Co., Ohio; d. March 15, 1892, at Montpelier, Ind. He never married.

21.

ELIJAH CORWIN ROWLEE,* son of Elijah, b.† in Orange Co., N. Y. Baptized at Amity Presbyterian Church Nov. 6, 1813 by Daniel Corwin Hopkins, the pastor. He m. Jan. 3, 1835, Asenath Nolan at Painted Post, N. Y. He was a soldier in Co. I, 107 Regt. N. Y. State Volunteers in the Civil War. After which, he with his family, removed to Michigan. His son Elijah writes :—"You see my brothers' families spell their name as we do with "ey", yet we have no particular reason for doing so, but have ever since I can remember. My father always spelled "lee." His children were all born near Corning, N. Y., and are as follows :—

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* See footnote on next page.

† Family records say Elijah C. Rowlee was born July 16, 1819. As the church record was an entry at that time, it seems probable that it is correct.

i. MARY JANE, b. Aug. 10, 1838; d. unmarried, and buried at Monterey, N. Y.

81 ii. MARTHA, b. Nov. 3, 1839.

82 iii. FRANCES E., b. April 15, 1843.

83 iv. ABRAM, b. Aug. 6, 1844.

84 v. ELIJAH, b. Oct. 14, 1845.

85 vi. HEMAN, b. Jan. 31, 1847.

22.

JONATHAN SHEPPARD ROWLEE, son of Elijah, b. Feb. 5, 1818, in the town of Milo, three miles from Penn Yan, N. Y.; m. April 19, 1841, to Mary Lucinda Payne. She was b. May

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[* Note from page 57.]

The following lines were composed by the late ELIJAH C. ROWLEE, of Co. I, 107th Reg. N. Y. Vols., and were sent to his wife, from Atlanta, Georgia, Oct. 29th, 1864:

Lord, preserve and bless that dear one,
  Shield her with Thy holy care;
And when Thou art pleased to call her,
  I pray thee, God, unite us there.

Keep her, Father, from temptation,
  Make her life long and blest;
Holy angels ever guard her,
  Lead her gently to her rest.

Lord Jesus, in all the dearest love
  Unite her heart to mine,
According to Thy blessed law,
  That we may reign in Thine.

Let me, oh Lord, share all her sorrows,
  And all the trials of this our life;
Let me to her become a blessing
  Worthy the holy name of husband.

Love us, oh Lord, and circle o'er us
  The halo of Thy immortal Son;
And when death at last shall call us,
  In heaven, dear Lord, still make us one.

Grant, oh Father, that no temptation
  Will vows like ours e'er break or sever,
But true to Thee in all things,
  Have a portion in God's blessing, ever. Amen.

I can think, dear wife, of no better words than these to convey the feelings of my heart at this time. They are precious to me. May God answer this, our prayer for each other.

From E. C. ROWLEE,
To his absent wife, A. C. ROWLEE.

17, 1820, and d. Nov. 4, 1902. He began boating from Keuka (Crooked) Lake when about twenty years old and continued that business until about 1875. He was a successful boatman and boatbuilder, and was prosperous for many years, but with the decline of boating lost much of his property. The boat "Jonathan S. Rowlee" was well known upon the canals of New York State for many years. In connection with his boating he operated a large farm on Post Creek, in the town of Hornby, which he bought in 1849, and where he lived until April, 1880, when with his son, Jonathan Sheppard, Jr., he removed to King's Valley, Oregon. He returned to Corning in 1884, and lived there until his death, Sept. 6, 1896. He is buried in the Hornby Oldfield Cem.

His children were :—

86 i. WILLIAM, b. Sept. 7, 1842.
ii. WILLIS, b. Sept., 1846; d. July 10, 1848.
iii. WILLARD, b. Nov. 6, 1849; d. Jan. 20, 1851.
87 iv. HARLOW, b. July 1, 1852.
88 v. JONATHAN SHEPPARD, Jr., b. Dec. 3, 1854.
89 vi. ELVINA, b. Sept. 15, 1857.

23.

MILLICENT ROWLEE, dau. of Elijah, b. Jan. 10, 1823, in Yates Co.; m. to Edwin Hathaway. They removed to Sycamore, De Kalb Co., Ill., where she d. and was buried Dec. 23, 1902. They had the following children :—

i. MILLICENT, b. _____; d. young.
90 ii. LYDIA JANE, b. April 16, 1842.
91 iii. NATHAN ROWLEE, b. Nov. 30, 1844.
92 iv. MARY ABIGAIL, b. March 4, 1846.
93 v. ALONZO EDWIN, b. Nov. 6, 1852.
94 vi. JOEL, b. Sept. 13, 1858.

24.

JOHN CARR ROWLEE, son of Nathan, was b. May 15, 1805, in Warwick, Orange Co., and bapt. in Florida Presby. Ch. Sept. 4, 1813. He m. Caroline, dau. of Shubael Hewes, Jan. 7, 1832, and their home for fifty years was the place now owned and occupied by their son Virgil, on the Whittaker road 3½ miles north of Fulton. He was a stone mason and farmer. He d. Sept. 13, 1881. He had two sons :—

95 i. SHUBAEL, b. Oct. 22, 1836.
96 ii. VIRGIL, b. Jan. 3, 1839.

25.

CHARLES SEELY ROWLEY,* son of Nathan, b. March 27, 1811, and baptized in the Florida Presbyterian Church, Sept. 4, 1813. He remained with his aunts Lois and Lydia, in Groton, when his parents migrated to Fulton. He m. Jane Root at Kent, Ohio, Oct. 11, 1847. They lived in Cleveland, O., until about 1858, and then removed to Decatur, Mich. He was a dentist and is still living (1905). His wife d. Dec. 26, 1893.

They had seven children :—

97 i. BYRON C., b. July 23, 1848.
98 ii. CLARK R., b. June 18, 1850.
iii. ALTON, } twins, b. July 27, 1852 ; d. while infants.
iv. ALICE, }
99 v. HATTIE A., b. March 5, 1856.
100 vi. NELLIE F., b. Jan. 13, 1859.
101 vii. DURMOTT, b. July 10, 1863.

26.

GEORGE WASHINGTON ROWLEE, son of Nathan, b. March 9, 1813 ; bapt. in Florida Presby. Ch.; m. Jane Demott of Volney at the home of her uncle and aunt, Jeremiah and Charlotte (Demott) Baker. They bought their home at the corner of Whitaker and Mt. Pleasant Roads, 4 miles north of Fulton, from Wm. P. Gregg in 1847, and lived there throughout their lives. The place is now the home of their only surviving child, Jasper. He was a shoemaker, but also engaged in farming and at one time in barrel making. He d. Sept. 22, 1884. They are buried in Mt. Pleasant Cem.

They had five children :—

102 i. GEORGE WASHINGTON, JR., b. Sept. 9, 1836.
103 ii. NATHAN, b. _____, 1838.
iii. MALVINA, b. _____, 1841 ; d. unmarried Feb. 7, 1861.
iv. CARRIE A., b. _____, 1844 ; m. Alfred Morgan ; d. without issue, Jan. 4, 1863.
104 v. JASPER NEWTON, b. Jan. 23, 1847.

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* In a letter written by C. S. R., Nov. 21, 1854, occurs the following: "You will observe that I spell our surname a little different from the *old* way. After I grew up I saw some one write it this way and it took my fancy and I have written it so since some ten or fifteen years." This letter is in possession of Wm. H. Holden, 10 Glenada Place, Brooklyn.

27.

HARRIET ROWLEE, dau. of Nathan, b. Aug. 9, 1815, in Warwick, N. Y.; m. Sept. 30, 1834, to William, son of David and Priscilla (Ticknor) Osborn, at Fulton, N. Y. Their home was the place now in possession of their son Almon, on the Whitaker road, three miles north of Fulton. She d. Feb. 18, 1885, and he d. May 29, 1900.

They had nine children :—

105 i. CHARLES WESLEY. b. Aug. 27, 1835.
106 ii. WILLIAM NATHAN, b. May 29, 1837.
107 iii. HARRIET LOVINA, b. July 1, 1839.
108 iv. ELIZA P., b. June 15, 1841.
109 v. JOHN C., b. Oct. 22, 1843.
110 vi. ANSON J., b. March 12, 1846.
111 vii. ALMON, b. Nov. 18, 1849.
viii. GEORGE W., d. young.
ix. D'ELTON G., d. young.

28.

NATHAN ROWLEE, son of Nathan, b. 1817 ; m. 1st, Evaline Trembly, who, together with an infant daughter, d, about 1840; m. 2nd, 1844, Mary, dau. of Thomas Draper of Dryden. He was a blacksmith and liveryman in Volney and Fulton. He d. in 1893, leaving two sons by his 2nd wife.

i. An infant.
112 ii. LEONARD BURR, b. 1849.
113 iii. HERBERT, b. 1851.

29.

ESQUIRE ROWLEE, son of Nathan, b. April 8, 1819, at Groton, N. Y.; m. Polly Graham in 1844. His home was the old Graham homestead near the brick school house, one mile north of Volney Center. Early in life he was a boatman, but spent his later and final years exclusively in farming. He d. April 23, 1895, and was buried in the Volney Center Cem.

Their children were :—

114 i. ALBERT A., b. Nov. 18, 1845.
115 ii. BURDETTE D., b. July 11, 1847.
116 iii. BYRON ESQUIRE, b. June 6, 1852.

30.

DOROTHY ROWLEE, dau. of Nathan, b. May 30, 1821; m. Wm. F. Elmer. They lived in Volney, three-quarters of a mile east of the Rowlee school house. She d. Oct. 20, 1882, leaving two children :—

117 i. HEMAN, b. July 20, 1845.
118 ii. FANNIE H., b. June 24, 1857.

31.

HEMAN ROWLEE, son of Nathan, b. Jan. 5, 1823, at Groton, N. Y.; m. 1st, Janet, dau. of Alonzo Dunsmore; 2nd, Maria (Emory) Baker, widow of George W. Baker of Volney. He lived in Volney during his life, except the years from 1870 to 1880 which he spent in Redfield, Oswego Co. He had children by his first wife as follows :—

119 i. ALONZO B., b. Sept. 30, 1846.
ii. ANNA, b. _____, d. _____ unmarried.
120 iii. JAY O., b. Oct. 16, 1861.

32.

ELIJAH ROWLEE BLAUVELT, son of Mary (Rowlee), b. Aug. 27, 1807, at Warwick, N. Y.; m. 1st, Jan. 23, 1826 to Phila Arpatia Spencer at Sheshequin, Pa. She d. June 4, 1841 at Pond Hill, Pa., and he m. 2nd, Nov. 14, 1845, Mary, dau. of Amos and Sarah (Kinner) Compton, at New York City. She is living (Aug. , 1905). Elijah R. Blauvelt was a farmer and lived at Pond Hill and other places in Bradford Co , Pa. He was County Commissioner for several years. Soon after 1866, he removed to Chemung, N. Y., where he d. Aug. 27, 1886, and is buried in Drybrook Cem.

His children were :—

By his 1st wife :—

121 i. ELIZABETH S., b. Nov. 17, 1828.
122 ii. JOSEPH CHARLES, b. June 17, 1830.
123 iii. CAROLINE HELEN, b. April 13, 1832.
124 iv. ELIJAH SPENCER, b. Oct. 7, 1838.

By his 2nd wife :—

125 v. WILLIAM COMPTON, b. Nov. 18, 1846.
126 vi. SARAH, b. April 5, 1848.
vii. PHILA ARPATIA, b. Feb. 5, 1852; d. 9 yrs. old.
viii. MARY, b. May 28, 1854 at Wysox, Pa.; d. June 15, 1877 at Chemung, N. Y. She m. Spencer Draper, Aug. 10, 1876. Had one child that d. 3 yrs. old.
127 ix. JOHN AMOS, b. Dec. 28, 1865.
128 x. CHARLES HENRY, b. Feb. 8, 1869.

33.

JANE BLAUVELT, dau. of Mary (Rowlee), b. Sept. 5, 1808, at Warwick, N. Y.; m. 1st, June 20, 1825, William Smith. They lived at Shores Hill, Pa. He d. in 1842. She m. 2nd, at Chemung, N. Y., Jesse Smith (brother of her first husband). She d. March 20, 1886, at Lockwood, N. Y., and is buried in Reniff Cem.

By her first husband she had :—

129 i. MARIA, b. Dec. 20, 1825.
130 ii. MARY ANN, b. April 28, 1828.
iii. JAMES, b. Dec. 1, 1829, and was drowned July 2, 1843, at Chemung, N. Y.
131 iv. LYDIA ANN, b. Oct. 8, 1831.
v. NORMAN, b. June 22, 1833; d. Aug. 24, 1852, in Germany.
132 vi. LYMAN, b. Sept. 29, 1834.
vii. AMANDA, b. Sept. 17th, 1836; m. Jackson Lunn; d. Sept. 3, 1855, at Barton.
133 viii. ADALINE, b. Aug. 24, 1838.
134 ix. HENRIETTA, b. Dec. 23, 1841.

By her second husband she had :—

x. DORRANCE, b. Jan. 9, 1852; d. Feb. 16, 1863, at Shores Hill, Pa.
135 xi. ORRIN, b. Oct. 16, 1853. Present whereabouts unknown.

34.

LYDIA ANN BLAUVELT, dau. of Mary (Rowlee), b. July 10, 1810, in New York City; m. Dec. 18, 1834, to Aaron, son of William and Anna (Van Dyke) Tillman. He was a farmer and shoemaker; she was a weaver and made woolen goods as well as carpets. She d. Dec. 11, 1869, at Chemung, N. Y., and is buried in Drybrook Cem.

Their children were :—

i. MARY ANN, b. at Chemung, N. Y.; m. to George Morgan; d. at Waverly, N. Y., and buried in Forest Home Cem. No children.

136 ii. WILLIAM, b. Aug. 20, 1838.

iii. ELIJAH, b. April 13, 1841, at Chemung, N. Y.; d. 23 years old and unmarried; buried in Drybrook Cem.

137 iv. JAMES HENRY, b. Nov. 8, 1843.

138 v. JOHN McDOWELL, b. Nov. 15, 1846.

139 vi. DELMAR, b. March 30, 1850.

35.

SALLY BLAUVELT, dau. of Mary (Rowlee), b. July 7, 1812; m. to Charles, son of Jeremiah and ——— (Orcutt) Hollon, at Chemung, N. Y. He was a farmer and justice of the peace in Monroetown Township, Pa., also a mail carrier from Towanda to Liberty Corners, where they lived. She d. Feb. 29, 1878.

They had four children :—

i. FLOYD, b. March 21, 1836; d. March 21, 1837, at Liberty Corners.

140 ii. MARY JANE, b. Aug. 13, 1840.

141 iii. JEREMIAH, b. Oct. 24, 1844.

iv. BETSEY E., b. Nov. 18, 1850; d. Dec. 9, 1852.

36.

JAMES BLAUVELT, son of Mary (Rowlee), b. Aug. 8, 1820; m. Nov. 15, 1851, to Eliza Ennis. He d. Dec. 14, 1888, at Liberty Corners, Pa.

They had one son :—

142 i. CHARLES, b. April, 1862.

37.

MARY BLAUVELT, dau. of Mary (Rowlee), b. May 19, 1824, at Hector, Schuyler Co., N. Y.; m. James Mattison. They lived in Clarence, Shelby Co., Mo. He had a brother killed in a skirmish with Moseley's band in Mo. during the Civil War. She d. March 3, 1884. She had one child which d. in infancy.

38.

JOHN McDOWELL BLAUVELT, son of Mary (Rowlee), b. Jan. 27, 1827, at Chemung, N. Y.; m. June 5, 1848, to Elmina, dau. of Daniel and Mary (Ruggles) Tyrrell, of Coles Hill,

Broome Co., N. Y. He was a blacksmith at Chemung, N. Y., for many years. In 1844 he went by wagon to Wisconsin, shipping the wagon and team from Buffalo to Toledo. He remained 2½ years in Wisconsin, working as a blacksmith, after which he returned to Chemung and began to work in the shop in which he had learned the trade. In 1855 he removed to the Chemung Narrows and managed a store in connection with a blacksmith shop until 1860. After that he removed to Oak Hill, 4 miles northeast of Lowmans, Chemung Co., and engaged in farming in addition to blacksmithing, and still resides there, (1907). His wife was b. Jan. 3, 1824, and d. Jan. 12, 1904.

They had two children :—

i. ALBERT, b. April 1, 1850 ; m. Clara Lovell. They live at Rochester, N. Y., and have no children.

144 ii. MARY, b. Sept. 13, 1860.

39.

SALLY COE, dau. of Elizabeth (Rowlee), b. February 25, 1811 on a farm near Mt. Eve., Orange Co. She m. Samuel Van Duzer Carpenter at Cornwall-on-Hudson, May 25, 1829, and d. at her daughter Celia's at Hornellsville, N. Y., Aug. 21, 1899, and is buried in the Dansville Cem. She had 12 children :—

i. ALMEDA, b. April 11, 1830; d. April 16, 1837.

ii. OPHELIA, b. Nov. 28, 1831 ; d. Feb. 24, 1837.

iii. MADISON B., b. April 25, 1833 ; d. May 12, 1839.

iv. LYMAN, b. Sept. 11, 1834 ; m. ------ ; was drowned in Eel River, Medicino Co., Cal., July 29, 1878.

145 v. LAERTUS VAN DUZER, b. April 10, 1836.

vi. OSCAR FITZ-ALLEN, b. July 16, 1838 ; m. 1st, Mrs. Sarah Perine, at Cummingsville, Livingston Co., N. Y.; m. 2nd, 1882 ? Mrs. Margaret Dewitt. He lived at Northville, Mich., and subsequently removed to and d. at Tunkhannock, Pa. No children.

146 vii. GEORGE WASHINGTON, b. June 19, 1840.

147 viii. CELIA ROGERS, b. Oct. 26, 1841.

ix. JOHN HENRY, b. Feb. 24, 1843 ; drowned in the canal at Dansville, N. Y. in 1850.

148 x. ALFRED WARREN, b. May 16, 1844.

xi. MARY E. H., b. July 2, 1846 ; d. Jan. 2, 1866 at Dansville, N. Y.

149 xii. JOHN EDWARD, b. July 5, 1850.

40.

ELIZA MARIA COE, dau. of Elizabeth (Rowlee), b. April 28, 1813, in Orange Co., N. Y. She m. John Burdon at New York City in 1837, and d. Jan. 17, 1875, at Arthur, Mich., and is buried in Elm Lawn Cem., Bay City, Mich. He was b. Feb. 28, 1812, at Crief, Perthshire, Scotland. His father was John Burdon.

They had five daughters and two sons :—

150 i. EMMA JANE, b. July 18, 1836.
151 ii. ALICE ELIZABETH, b. Oct. 25, 1839.
iii. JAMES, b. March 27, 1842; d. May 8, 1842.
152 iv. FRANCES REBECCA, b. Aug. 28, 1843.
153 v. MARY DELIRA, b. Sept. 18, 1846.
154 vi. LILIAN, b. Jan. 29, 1850.
vii. WILLIAM, b. May 7, 1852; d. Aug. 2, 1852.

41.

JOHN COE, son of Elizabeth (Rowlee), b. Oct. 27, 1815, at Edenville, Orange Co., N. Y.; m. May 14, 1848, Elizabeth, dau. of Hezekiah and Eleanor (Ward) Miller, at Florida, N. Y.; d. at Florida, Nov. 28, 1903. She was b. at Bellvale, N. Y., April 14, 1820, and d. Sept. 10, 1904. His death was due to injuries inflicted by a vicious ram. Children :—

i. CAROLINE CORNELIA, b. Aug. 16, 1849; d. Dec. 20, 1893.
ii. CHARLES ROWLEE, b. Feb. 13, 1856; unmarried; lives on his father's farm, near Florida, N. Y.
iii. JOHN SEELY, b. July 11, 1851; m. in 1878 to Elizabeth Garrison, at Paterson, N. J., where they now live. They have no children.

42.

CHARLOTTE COE, dau. of Elizabeth (Rowlee), b. Oct. 11, 1817, in Orange Co., N. Y., was brought up and educated by her aunts, Lois and Lydia S. Rowlee, at Groton, N. Y.; m. April 23, 1840, Alfred Underwood, of Groton, N. Y. She d. at Groton, N. Y. Children :—

155 i. HARLAN PAGE, b. Sept. 27, 1843.
156 ii. WILLIAM F., b. Sept. 23, 1846.
157 iii. HENRY HERBERT, b. Feb. 21, 1853.
158 iv. FLORENCE H., b. Feb. 28, 1858.
159 v. ALICE ANNETTE, b. Jan. 6, 1860.

43.

LYDIA ANN COE, dau. of Elizabeth (Rowlee), b. Dec. 8, 1826; m. 1847, to Edward Woodruff, at Florida, N. Y.; d. at Edenville, Aug. 30, 1899. Children:—

160 i. JOHN COE, b. Nov., 1848.
161 ii. WILLIAM W., b. April 6, 1851.
162 iii. MARY ELIZABETH, b. April 6, 1856.
iv. CHARLES, d. at 3 years old.
163 v. EMMA, b. ———, ——.

FOURTH AND SUCCEEDING GENERATIONS

[The open Roman numbers refer to individuals of the *fifth* generation; numbers in parenthesis to the *sixth*, and names in italics to the *seventh*.]

47.

LOIS KOZIA CURTIS, dau. of Charlotte (Rowlee), b. Feb. 14, 1823 "in N. Y."; m. Sept., 1842 to Dr. William, son of Moses and Derinda (Barker) Horton, at Edenburg, O. They lived at Summerfield, Noble Co., O. She d. at Bridal Veil, Ore., May 23, 1900. He d. May 18, 1899 at Cape Horn, Wash. Both are buried in Bridal Veil Cem. They had seven children:

i. CHARLES WINFIELD, b. July 5, 1845; never married.
ii. SUMMERVILLE; d. at about two years of age.
iii. GEORGE CLARK; only lived a few days.
iv. LYDIA IRENE; d. at 18 years of age.
v. ANN MARTHA; d. at seven years of age.
vi. SAMUEL C., b. June 14, 1855 at Summerfield, O.; m. Sept. 8, 1895 to Ida O., dau. of Ernest and Ethelinda (Freddy) Stone at Bridal Veil, Ore. She was b. Dec. 1, 1874 at Greenfield, Iowa. He d. March 18, 1902 at Cape Horn, Wash., and is buried at Bridal Veil, Ore. His widow and daughter live at Newberg, Ore. They had one daughter:—(i) Ruth S., b. Sept. 27, 1896.
vii. HENRY CRAIG, b. Oct. 29, 1857 at Summerfield, O.; m. Nov. 27, 1879 to Alice Carey Earley at Pierceville, Ripley Co., Ind. She d. Oct. 11, 1888. He lives at Hayes, Wash. They had three children, all born at Pierceville, Ind.:—(i) Alva Otis, b. March 17, 1881. He is a druggist at Portland, Ore.;—(ii) Walter Ralph, b. Sept. 7, 1882. He is an electrician at Portland, Ore.; (iii) Lois Susania, b. April 21, 1884. She lives with her father at Hayes, Wash.

48.

ELIZABETH CURTIS, dau. of Charlotte (Rowlee), b. Sept. 27, 1826, "in N. Y."; m. March 1, 1842, to Joseph, son of John and Harriet Kelly. They lived at Corunna, Mich. She d. Feb. 10, 1859. He d. July 4, 1873. They had seven children:—

i. JAMES FRANCIS, b. Oct. 1, 1843, at Warrensville, O.; m. Feb. 3, 1872 to Emma, dau. of Charles I. and Matilda (Chester) Blanchett, at Corunna, Mich. They live at Woodlawn Ave., Owosso,

Mich., and have three children :—(i) Ernest, b. May 24, 1873, at Caledonia, Mich., m. Feb. 22, 1893, to Inis, dau. of Wm. and Jennie Stratton, at Caledonia. They have three children :—*Roland*, b. Feb. 5, 1894, at Caledonia; *Blanche J.*, b. Feb. 6, 1896, at Caledonia; and *Olive Audry*, b. Jan. 28, 1906, at Deerfield, Mich.; (ii) Bert R., b. July 30, 1876, at Caledonia; m. June 3, 1897, to Julia, dau. of Henry and Mary A. Schly; (iii) Earl B., b. July 15, 1885, d. Oct. 23, 1886.

ii. HARRIET CHARLOTTE, b. Nov. 7, 1845, at Vernon, Mich.; m. Aug. 11, 1861, to Charles, son of Bradley and Mary (Thayer) Angus, at Caledonia, Mich. He was b. Jan. 4, 1839, at Tyrone, Mich. They live at Corunna, Mich., and have :—(i) Benjamin I., b. June 10, 1863, at Caledonia, Mich.; m. May 3, 1893, to Maria, dau. of Robert and Hannah (Waddingham) Park, at Detroit, Mich. She was born Dec. 2, 1864, at Alborough, East Yorkshire, Eng. They live at 630 Woodlawn Ave., Owosso, Mich., and have :—*Leslie*, b. Sept. 29, 1894, at Owosso; (ii) Francis, d. an infant; (iii) George B., b. June 17, 1866; d. Oct. 4, 1867; (iv) Joseph Bethel, b. Oct. 25, 1868, at Caledonia, Mich.; m. April 17, 1889, to Maggie, dau. of Henry O. and May Elida (Greene) Kingley, at Maurice, Mich. She was born May 11, 1868, at Port Austin, Mich. They live at Owosso, Mich., and have :—*Fernie Elida*, b. Oct. 18, 1890, at Caledonia; *Charles Bethel*, b. June 19, 1892, at Middleton, Mich; d. Nov. 9, 1892; *Cyril*, b. Dec. 4, 1894, at Owosso; and *Thad*, b. Nov. 2, 1898, at Owosso; (iii) Mary Elizabeth, b. Jan. 3, 1871, at Caledonia, Mich.; m. Oct. 25, 1893, to Henry C., son of Charles and Matilda (Chester) Blanchett, at Avon, Ohio. He was b. Sept. 16, 1863. They live at New Lothrop, Mich., and have :—*Walter E.*, b. Aug. 3, 1894, at Owosso, Mich.; *Alice Matilda*, b. Dec. 23, 1897, at Caledonia, and *Lillian Luella*, b. Aug. 3, 1905, at Hazelton, Mich.; (vi) Celia B., b. Sept. 9, 1873, at Caledonia, Mich.

iii. MARTHA ANN, b. Dec. 5, 1847 at Caledonia; m. Oct. 7, 1866 to Charles D., son of Moses and Johanna (Slosson) Foster. He was b. March 31, 1845 at Plymouth, Oakland Co., Mich. They live at Owosso, Mich., and have two sons :—(i) Jay, b. Sept. 1, 1871 at Caledonia; m. Oct. 26, 1892 to Myrtle S., dau. of John and Margery (Shaw) Dennison. They live in Tacoma, Wash., and had an *infant* b. Jan. 12, 1904; d. Jan. 19, 1904; (ii) Almon, b. April 7, 1879 at Caledonia; m. Aug. 24, 1899 to Edith, dau. of James Frank and Martha Ann (Quay) McKnight, at Owosso. They live at Cleveland, O., and have :—*Dorothy Isabel*, b. Jan. 18, 1907, at Cleveland, O.

Chas. and Martha Ann Foster adopted their neice, Orpha, dau. of Frank and Phoebe Bruff.

iv. GEORGE HENRY, b. May 28, 1850 at Caledonia, Mich.; m. Aug. 8, 1877 to Carrie Lounetta Kellogg, at Corunna, Mich. She was b. July 8, 1861 at Jackson, Mich., and d. March 20, 1903 at Cleveland, O. They had three children :—(i) Walter William, b. July 6, 1878, at Corunna, Mich.; m. Nov. 28, 1900 to Bessie Laura, dau. of Jeremiah C. and Cynthia C. (Brown) Rogers at Cleveland. They have :—*Dorothy Lena*, b. April 11, 1902 and *Bessie Florence*, b. Aug. 24, 1904, d. Oct. 13, 1904; (ii) Mabel Lovina, b. July 21, 1883 at Cleveland, O.; (iii) Lounetta May, b. Sept. 11, 1886 at Cleveland; m. July 24, 1905 to Claud H., son of Geo. H. and Julia (Abbott) Foster, at Cleveland, O.

v. PHOEBE JANE, b. April 15, 1853 at Caledona; m. Jan. 1, 1889 to Frank, son of Amos and Matilda (Crawford) Bruff, at Corunna. She d. March 26, 1899, and he d. Nov. 16, 1901. They left three children :—(i) Julia, b. Oct. 3, 1883; m. 1st Walter Smith, and 2nd to ——— Wightman. They live at Buckley, Mich.; she has by her 1st husband :—(ii) Orla, b. July, 1886 at Caledonia. He lives at Owosso, Mich. (iii) Orpha, b. Jan. 28, 1899 at Durand, Mich. She was adopted by her aunt, Mrs. Foster, after the death of her mother.

vi. MARIA ALICE, b. Jan. 23, 1855; d. Feb. 15, 1855.

vii. CLARK CURTIS, b. Mar. 4, 1856; d. same day.

CHILDREN OF MATTHEW AND ELIZABETH (BEERS) ROWLEE.

(Arranged in order, beginning with the top row and at the left.)

SALLY MARIA (1804–1879).

LOIS (1812–).

ELIZA JANE (1815–1898).

JOHN BEERS (1807–1884).

ELIZABETH ANN (1809–).

LYDIA (1817–1899).

DANIEL CORWIN HOPKINS (1820–1892).

49.

ANNA ELIZA WOOD, dau. of Sally Maria (Rowlee), b. Sept. 8, 1823; m. to William, son of Ezra Mallory, at Sullivanville, N. Y. She d. at Horseheads, March 19, 1895.

Their children were :—

i. ELIZABETH, b. June 10, 1841, at Sullivanville, N. Y.; m. July 13, 1862, to J. D., son of Aaron Howell, at Horseheads. She d. Aug. 9, 1895. They had two children :—(i) Alice, b. Feb. 10, 1865, at Sullivanville; m. Oct. 24, 1883, to Geo. D., son of Isaac Sears, at Sullivanville. They have one child :—*John*, b. Jan. 28, 1886, at Catlin, and live at Horseheads; (ii) Anna, b. June 23, 1867, at Sullivanville; m. Jan. 22, 1895, to Walter, son of Alexander Lawhead. They have :—*Hazel*, b. March 9, 1896, at Cayuta, and *Bernice*, b. March 20, 1904, at Cayuta. They live at Cayuta, N. Y.

ii. SARAH, b. June 29, 1845; m. to Solomon B. Coe. She d. March 5, 1895, leaving three children :—(i) William; (ii) Frank, and (iii) May.

iii. CHARLES D., b. Sept. 11, 1847; m. July 24, 1895, to Cordelia Swan, at Farmer, N. Y. They have :—(i) Marie, b. May 19, 1897, at Breesport.

iv. FRANK, b. Feb. 11, 1856; m. Feb. 24, 1897, to Addie B. Lum, at Catherine, N. Y.

50.

WILLIAM HENRY WOOD, son of Sally Maria (Rowlee), b. March 20, 1825; m. to Fanny Van Duzer. He d. Nov. 16, 1860. They had one dau.:—

i. EMMA J., b. April 9, 1855; m. March 8, 1881, to David Zimmer. She lives at Erin, N. Y., and has no children.

51.

COE HARVEY WOOD, son of Sally Maria (Rowlee), b. Dec. 24, 1828, at Goshen, N. Y.; m. July 4, 1849 to Frances Adelia, dau. of Jared and Cynthia (Randall) Parrott, at Horseheads, N. Y. He d. at Clearfield, Pa., June 27, 1904.

He had four children :—

i. CHARLES DENNIS, b. May 17, 1850, at Sullivanville, N. Y.; m. in 1872 to Martha Virginia, dau. of Wm. and Albina (Irvin) Mapes, at Clearfield, Pa. He d. at Clearfield, Pa., April 13, 1895 and left three children :—(i) Minnie, m. to Harry Beck. She lives at Swissvale, Pittsburg, Pa., and has three children; (ii) Weir McVey, m. to Daisy Snively. (iii) Cecil Charles, who lives at Harrisburg, Pa. with his mother.

ii. ALICE GERTRUDE, b. May 28, 1857, at Wellsville, N. Y.; m. March 5, 1876 to Thos. Haney, son of David and Lavina (Haney) Litz, at Clearfield, Pa. Died at Clearfield, Pa., Nov. 28, 1885. Had one child :—(i) Thomas Harvey, b. May 19, 1877. He is a dentist and practices at Osceola Mills, Pa.

iii. GEORGE WILLIAMSON, b. Jan. 4, 1860, at Oswayo, Pa.; m. to Cora, dau. of Gilbert A. R. and Elizabeth (Allen) Barker, at Coalport, Pa.

iv. MAY LILLIAN, b. July 29, 1864 at Wellsville, N. Y.; m. to Wallace H., son of Edmund and ——— (Hunter) Dale, at Clearfield, Pa. Has three children :—(i) Boyd Harvey, b. August , 1890, at Irvona, Pa.; (ii) Bessie Frances, b. Nov. , 1892, at Irvona, Pa.; (iii) George Benson, b. Oct. , 1895, at Romey, Pa.

52.

ANDREW JACKSON WOOD, son of Sally Maria (Rowlee), b. April 23, 1830, at Goshen, N. Y.; m. to Margaret Reid, at Elmira, N. Y.; d. Jan. 15, 1896, at Elmira, N. Y., and buried in Woodlawn Cem. He had one dau.:—

i. EDNA, b. at Elmira, N. Y.; m. Eugene Learned, and has :— (i) Eugene ; (ii) Daniel ; (iii) Edna ; (iv) Majorie, ; (v) May. They live in Pittsburg.

53.

GEORGE WASHINGTON WOOD, son of Sally Maria (Rowlee), b. April 23, 1830 ; m. 1st to Sarah Elizabeth, dau. of Elias Ogden and Elizabeth Ann (Rowlee) Goble (14) ; m. 2nd to Susan Mallory. He d. May 9, 1895, and is buried in Van-Duzer Cem., Veteran, N. Y. Had one son by 2nd wife :—

i. GEORGE WASHINGTON, JR., b. Aug. 31, 1885. He lives at Breesport, N. Y.

54.

MATTHEW ROWLEE WOOD, son of Sally Maria (Rowlee), b. Nov. 21, 1834, at Goshen, N. Y.; m. 1st, Oct. 23, 1862, to Caroline, dau. of Asa and Hannah Downs, at Wellsville, N. Y.; m. 2nd to Martha E., dau. of Calvin and Allie (Huff) Stilson, at Coudersport, Pa. He lives at Oswayo, Potter Co., Pa. He had two sons by his first wife and two daughters by his second :—

i. FRED ASA, b. Sept. 7, 1863, at Elmira. N. Y.; m. Jan. 26, 1887, to Ida M., dau. of Ezra and Miranda Hammond, at Sullivanville, N. Y. They live at Breesport, N. Y., and have the following children :—(i) Florence A., b. April 28, 1889, at Erin, N. Y.; (ii) Ivan Rowlee, b. Oct. 22, 1890, at Erin ; (iii) Larue A., b. April 13, 1892, at Erin ; (iv) Edgar Fred, b. Sept. 23, 1897, at Erin.

ii. IRA DOWNS, b. May 20, 1865, at Oswayo. Lives at Hornellsville, N. Y.

iii. JULIA, b. Dec. 7, 1874, at Coudersport, Pa.; d. Nov. 25, 1880, at Oswayo.

iv. MARGARET, b. May 21, 1876, at Ulysses, Pa.; m. Dec. 31, 1890, to George Lunn, at Alma, N. Y. They have :—(i) Rowlee, b. July 17, 1892, at Oswayo ; (ii) Lee, b. June 1, 1895, at Millport ; (iii) Fred, b. Dec. 11, 1904, at Oswayo.

55.

ISRAEL RUNDLE WOOD, son of Sally Maria (Rowlee,) b. Oct. 14, 1838, at Veteran, Chemung Co.; m. Aug. 4, 1862, to Hannah, dau. of John and Mary Ann (Langwell) Freeborn, at Springfield, Pa. He lives at Russell, Warren Co., Pa., and has the following children :—

i. WILLIAM H., b. May 30, 1863, at Bennettsville, Pa.; m. Sept. 28, 1893 to Minnie, dau. of John Osner. They live at Youngstown, Ohio, and have :—(i) Osner, b. Feb. 27, 1896, at Pittsburgh ; (ii) Stein, b. at Pittsburgh, and (iii) Henry, b. at Youngstown, Ohio.

ii. MINNIE, b. Sept. 30, 1865, at Stone Hill, Pa.; m. Feb. 20, 1899, to Herbert, son of Lorenzo and Melvina (Hudson) Phillips, at Russell, Pa. She has :—(i) Ethel, b. July 22, 1890, at Lander, Pa., and (ii) Ray, b. Dec. 31, 1895 at Lander. Lives at Russell, Pa.

iii. THOMAS, b. Nov. 9, 1873, at Vandalia, N. Y.; d. July 20, 1905, at Russell, Pa.

iv. MAGGIE, b. July 28, 1875, at Eldred, Pa.; m. Nov. 17, 1897, to Everett, son of Sylvester and Louvisa Clark, at Russell, Pa. She has :—(i) Randall, b. Nov. 14, 1900, at North Warren, Pa., and (ii) Sylvester, b. Dec. 15, 1902, at North Warren, Pa. They live at Ackley, Pa.

v. GEORGE, b. March 30, 1877, at Eldred, Pa.; m. June 15, 1897, to Maud, dau. of Milo and Eveline (Martin) Adams, at Russell, Pa. They have :—(i) Paul, b. Feb. 27, 1898 at Russell, and (ii) Verna, b. Aug. 20, 1899, at Russell. They live at Russell.

56.

JOHN ABNER WOOD, son of Sally Maria (Rowlee), b. May 8, 1842, at Veteran, N. Y.; m. Nov. 11, 1872, to Hannah,

dau. of Enos and Elizabeth Rouse, at Corry, Pa. He lives at Tiona, Warren Co., and has the following :—

i. ALICE MARIE, b. April 8, 1873, at Tiona, Pa.

ii. EDNA ELIZABETH, b. June 19, 1874, at Tiona, Pa.; m. April 12, 1904, to Archibald Nelson, son of Calvin R. and Frances Bowen, at Jamestown, N. Y. They have :—(i) Alice Virginia, b. March 12, 1905, at Sheffield, Pa.

iii. CLARA VIRGINIA, b. July 5, 1878, at Tiona, Pa.; d. July 19, 1886, at same place.

iv. BYRD GEORGIA, b. Sept. 27, 1887, at Tiona, Pa.

57.

ELIZABETH ROWLEE, dau. of John B., b. Feb. 25, 1836, at New York City ; m. Feb. 23, 1860, to Henry, son of James Holden, at 324 Dean St., Brooklyn. She lives at 761 Washington Ave., Brooklyn, and he d. there Nov. 19, 1897, and is buried in Greenwood Cem.

Their children :—

i. ELLA FRANCES, b. June 12, 1861, at Brooklyn ; d. July 2, 1900, at Brooklyn, and buried in Greenwood Cem.

ii. JOHN JAMES, b. April 14, 1864, at Brooklyn ; m. June 11, 1884, to Annie Eva, dau. of Joseph Leslie, at Brooklyn, N. Y. They live in Brooklyn and have three children :—(i) Ruth Ella, b. Feb. 28, 1885, at Brooklyn ; (ii) James Frederick, b. Nov. 3, 1889, at Brooklyn ; d. Oct., 1890 ; (iii) Mildred, b. July 15, 1895, at Brooklyn.

iii. WILLIAM HENRY, b. Nov. 6, 1867, at Brooklyn ; m. Oct. 24, 1894, to Ida Ruth, dau. of John Rowlee and Ida Jane (Clark) Goble (64), at Newark, N. J.

iv. HENRIETTA R., b. Aug. 10, 1870, at Brooklyn ; d. Jan. 9, 1877, at Brooklyn, and buried in Greenwood Cem.

v. GEORGE PERKINS, b. May 16, 1872, at Brooklyn ; m. April 8, 1896, to Augusta C., dau. of Michael Kamp, at Brooklyn, N. Y.

vi. EDWARD GOODWIN, b. May 16, 1872, at Brooklyn ; d. June 26, 1882, at Brooklyn, and buried in Greenwood Cem.

vii. LIZZIE, b. Feb. 11, 1876, at Brooklyn ; d. Nov. 16, 1880, at Brooklyn ; buried in Greenwood Cem.

viii. FULLER TOMES, b. May 31, 1880, at Brooklyn ; d. May 8, 1897, at Brooklyn, and buried in Greenwood Cem.

ix. EDITH, b. June 17, 1884, at Brooklyn ; d. July 30, 1884, at Brooklyn, N. Y., and buried in Greenwood Cem.

58.

GEORGE THORBURN ROWLEE, son of John B., b. March 25, 1840, at New York City ; m. March 19, 1862, to Emma, dau. of Thomas Stewart, at Brooklyn. They live at Paterson, N. J., and have one son :—

i. GEORGE ALBERT, b. Dec. 7, 1876, at Paterson, N. J.; m. June 27, 1900, to Alma Bangham, at Paterson, N. J.

59.

CAROLINE GEDNEY ROWLEE, dau. of John B., b. Aug. 28, 1842 ; m. March 5, 1865, to John McElvery. Lives at Flatbush, Brooklyn, and has :—

i. JOHN A., b. March 17, 1866 ; m. Oct. 15, 1891, to Sarah S. Pietsch, at Flatbush. They have :—(i) Esther, d. young ; (ii) Geo. R., b. Sept. 8, 1895 ; (iii) Edna R., b. Sept. 22, 1897 and (iv) Mabel, b. Sept. 11, 1903.

ii. CARRIE GETTY, b. Feb. 3, 1868.

iii. ALBERT, b. Sept. 5, 1869 ; d. June 12, 1872.

iv. EDWIN, b. Feb. 2, 1872 ; m. June 27, 1894, to Carrie A. Klemfelder ; no children.

v. RAMSEY, b. Oct. 29, 1874 ; m. July 26, 1900, to Evelyn A. Lagerstrom ; no children.

vi. ROWLEE, b. Jan. 19, 1880.

60.

JOHN WILLIAM ROWLEE, son of John B., b. July 22, 1845, at New York ; m. Nov. 22, 1866, to Lizzie M., dau. of John Steinman at Brooklyn. They live at Closter, N. J., and have :—

i. CLARA LIZZIE, b. Sept. 11, 1867, at Brooklyn, N. Y.; m. July 16, 1891, to Howard Bird, son of Henry Keppel, and has (i) Louise Rowlee, b. November 29, 1896 at Brooklyn, N. Y., and (ii) Howard Bird, Jr., b. April 6, 1899, at Brooklyn.

ii. JOSEPH SUTPHIN, b. July 15, 1874, at Brooklyn, N. Y.; m. Jan. 12, 1898, to Ada M., dau. of Charles C. Post, at Closter, N. J.

iii. JOHN WILLIAM, Jr., b. Dec. 22, 1876, at Brooklyn, N. Y.; m. Jan. 24, 1906, to Elizabeth M., dau. of Anton M. Schuermann, at Demarest, N. J.

iv. DAISY, b. Oct. 11, 1883, at Brooklyn, N. Y.; m. Jan. 18, 1905, to Grandison Gervais, son of Henry Christian Gerke, at Closter, N. J.

61.

WILLIAM TIMLOW GOBLE, son of Elizabeth Ann (Rowlee), b. April 27, 1830, at Amity, Orange Co., N. Y.; m. Sept. 23, 1860, to Jane, dau. of Hezekiah Miller, Sr., at Florida, N. Y. He d. Feb. 19, 1883, at Florida. Was a farmer and lived at Florida. He had one son :

i. JAMES OGDEN, b. May 30, 1865, at Florida; m. April 17, 1889, to Carrie E., dau. of Albert F. Stevens. They had one dau. (i) Bertha M., b. Nov. 20, 1894, who d. Dec. 10, 1894.

62.

SARAH ELIZABETH GOBLE, dau. of Elizabeth Ann (Rowlee), b. Jan. 14, 1833, at Florida, N. Y.; m. June 16, 1864, to George Washington (53), son of George and Sally Maria (Rowlee) Wood, at Florida, N. Y. She d. Dec. 21, 1882, at Veteran, Chemung Co., N. Y. Had no children.

63.

NATHAN GOBLE, son of Elizabeth Ann (Rowlee), b. Jan. 17, 1835, at Amity, Orange Co., N. Y.; m. Oct. 12, 1864, to Carrie M., dau. of Alpheus Duryea, at Goshen, N. Y. He d. June 3, 1886, at New York City, and is buried at Florida, N. Y. He had one dau.:—

i. CAROLYN ELIZABETH, b. Nov. 6, 1865, at Goshen, N. Y.; m. Nov. 6, 1888, to Ernest, son of Julius Bunzl, at New York City. They live at 155 W. 75th St., New York, and have: (i) Regina Carolyn, b. Dec. 23, 1889, at New York City; (ii) Ernest Everett, b. Dec. 20, 1892, at New York City.

64.

JOHN ROWLEE GOBLE, son of Elizabeth Ann (Rowlee), b. June 7, 1837; m. Nov. 7, 1858, to Ida Jane Clark. They have five children :—

i. WILLIAM, b. June 27, 1860, at New York City; d. May 6, 1864, at Goshen, N. Y., and buried in Slate Hill Cem.

ii. HARRIETT W. R., b. March 30, 1867, at New York City; m. March 12, 1895, to George Frederick King, at Newark, N. J. They live at East Orange, N. J., and have :—(i) Katharine, b. Nov. 12, 1902.

iii. ADELAIDE ANGEL, b. April 30, 1869, at Hoboken, N. J.; m. Nov. 2, 1888, to Wallace Noyes, at Newark, N. J. They live at Newark, N. J., and have two children :—(i) John Wallace, b. Dec. 8, 1889, and (ii) Frederick Linden, b. June 9, 1894.

iv. JOHN ROWLEE, Jr., b. June 16, 1872; m. 1895, to Lilla Nye, and lives at Newark, N. J. They have:—(i) Elsie Lucile.

v. IDA RUTH, b. Jan. 30, 1874; m. William H., son of Henry and Elizabeth (Rowlee) Holden (57). Lives in Brooklyn.

65.

ALLETTA GOBLE, dau. of Elizabeth Ann (Rowlee), b. Dec. 24, 1839, at Amity, N. Y.; m. Dec. 5, 1866, to Hezekiah, Jr., son of Hezekiah Miller. She d. Oct. 6, 1874. Had one dau.:—

i. EDNA, b. Nov. 2, 1872, at Florida; m. April 12, 1899, to William, son of Theodore Bradner, at Florida, N. Y.

66.

EMILY JANE GOBLE, dau. of Elizabeth Ann (Rowlee), b. May 5, 1842, at Amity, N. Y.; m. Sept. 19, 1861, to Isaac Emmett, son of David and Harriet (Carmichael) Young. He is Superintendent of Schools at New Rochelle, N. Y. They have had four children:—

i. ANNIE, b. June 21, 1862, at Sparrowbush, N. Y.; d. April 31, 1866.

ii. FREDERIC EMMETT, b. July 26, 1869, at West Chester, N. Y.; d. Nov. 24, 1876.

iii. GEORGE HERBERT, b. Dec. 6, 1871, at West Chester, N. Y.; d. Nov. 20, 1876.

iv. ELIZABETH MAE, b. Oct. 2, 1877, at West Chester, N. Y.

67.

ANNIE MARIA GOBLE, dau. of Elizabeth Ann (Rowlee), b. Oct. 12, 1844, at Amity, N. Y.; m. May 13, 1875, to James A. Blanchard. Lives in Brooklyn and has one dau.:—

i. ROBERTA A., b. Jan. 22, 1887, at Brooklyn, N. Y.

68.

MARY ALICE GOBLE, dau. of Elizabeth Ann (Rowlee), b. July 18, 1847, at Amity, Orange Co., N. Y.; m. Dec. 20, 1870, to Montgomery Hale, son of Elvin and Catherine (Galloway) Vernon. He is a farmer and produce dealer at Florida, N. Y. She d. April 27, 1906, and is buried at Florida. They have six children:—

i. RUSSELL MONTGOMERY, b. April 23, 1873, at Florida, N. Y.; m. Oct. 2, 1901, to Elizabeth, dau. of Robinson and Hannah (Thorpe) Gill, both natives of Yorkshire, Eng., but lived in Brooklyn from about 1860. He is a graduate of Cornell University, class 1894, and practices law at Middletown, N. Y. They have: (i) Clinton Montgomery, b. Dec. 1, 1902, at Middletown.

ii. EMMA ALICE, b. March 8, 1875, at Florida, N. Y.; m. Aug. 14, 1906, to Robert W., son of Robert W. and Mary Emma (Toland) Anderson, at Florida. They reside at Florida.

iii. PHILLIP LINN, b. July 24, 1876, at Florida; d. Sept. 27, 1876.

iv. SARA LOUISE, b. Sept. 27, 1879, at Florida; m. June 23, 1906, to Richard Milburn, son of Dr. Adam P. and Hannah Amelia (Milburn) Farries, at Florida. Reside at Florida.

v. RAY CLINTON, b. May 29, 1886, at Florida; d. March 6, 1889.

vi. GEORGE HERBERT, b. Dec. 25, 1888, at Florida.

69.

LYDIA ELLEN GOBLE, dau. of Elizabeth Ann (Rowlee), b. Nov. 11, 1851, at Amity, N Y.; m. Sept. 25, 1889, to Samuel F., son of John Gardner. He is a farmer at Florida. They have no children.

70.

HARRIET WATSON GOBLE, dau. of Elizabeth Ann (Rowlee), b. June 7, 1854, at Florida, d. Feb. 22, 1857, at Florida, and buried in Florida Cem.

70a.

SAMUEL S. STORMS, son of Lois (Rowlee), b.————, m. Jan., 1867, to Elizabeth Currie at Newburg, N. Y. He d. Sept. 1867, at Newburg, and is buried there in St. George's Cem. They had one dau:—

i. ADA LOIS, b. Dec. 6, 1867, at Newburg; m. Nov. 5, 1891, to Daniel W. Gurnee, at Yonkers, N. Y. They have:—(i) Harold Daniel, b. Sept. 30, 1892; (ii) Victor Storms, b. Oct. 9, 1894.

70b.

JOHN STORMS, son of Lois (Rowlee), b.————; m. ————, to Frederica Lord, at Fishkill, N. Y. He d. Jan. 14, 1883, at Garnerville, N. Y., and is buried in Haverstraw Cem. They had the following children:—

i. ANN ELIZABETH, b. Aug., 1869, at Fishkill; m. Aug. 13, 1890, to Radford Conklin, at Garnerville. They have :—Ella, b. Aug. 9, 1891; (ii) Frederick, b. 1893: (iii) Grace, b. about 1895; (iv) Mamie, b. about 1897; (v) Harvey, b. about 1900.

ii. MARY F., b. Sept., 1871, at Fishkill; m. 1889 to Wesley Morgan at Sloatsburgh, N. Y. They have :—(i) Dianna, b. about 1890; (ii) Frederica, b. about 1892.

iii. EDITH, b. 1873, at Fishkill; d. Nov., 1875, at Garnerville; bur. in Haverstraw Cem.

iv. FRANK, b. June, 1875, at Garnerville; m. about 1899, to Minnie Babcock, at Garnerville. They have :—(i) a dau.; (ii) a son.

v. IRENE, b. 1880, at Garnerville; d. Jan., 1883, at Garnerville, and bur. in Haverstraw Cem.

71.

CHARLES HENRY BALL, son of Eliza Jane (Rowlee), b. Sept. 4, 1837, at New York City; m. Nov. 4, 1861 to Lillie Virginia, dau. of George G. Brown, at Washington, D. C. He d. Sept. 10, 1901, at Baltimore, Md. They had four children :—

i. EMMA MALVINIA, b. May, 8, 1864, at Baltimore, Md.; d. Feb. 18, 1876, at Odgensburg, N. Y.

ii. EDITH MAY, b. Aug, 13, 1869, at Baltimore; m. Jan. 28. 1892 to Edward F., Jr., son of Edward F. Hilton, at Baltimore. She d. April 24, 1899, at Louisville, Ky. They had one dau. :—(i) Virginia, b. June 19, 1894, at Dubuque, Iowa.

iii. ELIZA JANE, b. Nov. 19, 1873, at Newberne, N. C.; d. May, 1874, and buried at Newberne.

iv. HELEN LOUISE, b. Dec. 6, 1877, at Boston, Mass.; m. Oct. 18, 1902, to George Cook, Jr., son of Admiral Geo. Cook Reiter, U. S. N., at Baltimore, Md. They live at Canton, O.

72.

EMMA ELIZABETH BALL, dau. of Eliza Jane (Rowlee), b. Dec. 24, 1843, at New York City; m. Oct. 12, 1865, to John Jay, son of John Joachim Nestell. They live in New York City and have three children :—

i. ISABELLE, b. April 14, 1868, at New York City; m. Nov. 24, 1901, to Warren A., son of William Leonard, at New York City. They have :—(i) John Nestell, b. May 23, 1903, at New York City.

ii. EDWARD VICTOR, b. July 16, 1871, at New York City; m. Dec. 27, 1905, to Florence Dell, dau. of Wm. Thomson.

iii. RAYMOND JAY, b. Aug. 19, 1877 at New York City; m. July 5, 1902, to Beatrice S. Hutchins.

73.

GEORGE BALL, Jr., son of Eliza Jane (Rowlee), b. April 15, 1854, at New York City; m. Sept. 15, 1875, to Josephine, dau. of Wm. and Kitty Ellen (Lewis) Bowers, at Goshen, N. Y. They have two daughters:—

i. FLORENCE, b. Nov. 18, 1876, at New York City; m. April 26, 1904, to Alfred, son of Wm. F. Wood. They live at Middletown, N. Y.

ii. ALICE, b. March 7, 1878, at Brooklyn, N. Y.; m. April 23, 1907, to Henry Wilson, Jr., son of Henry Wilson Loweree. They live at Whitestone, L. I.

74.

JOHN WILLIAM WRIGHT, son of Lydia (Rowlee), b. Nov. 4, 1843, at Florida, N. Y. He was a soldier in the Civil War and d. at Bolivar Heights, Va., Oct. 21, 1862, and is buried at Phillipsburg, N. Y.

75.

ELIZABETH WRIGHT, dau. of Lydia (Rowlee), b. May 12, 1847, at Florida, N. Y.; m. Oct. 4, 1866, to Theodore A., son of Theodore D. Shaw, at Great Bend, Pa. She lives at Middletown, N. Y.

i. MORTIMORE WRIGHT, b. Dec. 2, 1867, at Goshen, N. Y.; m. Aug. 10, 1896, to Florence, dau. of Philip Perkins, at Brooklyn, N. Y. They have:—(i) Lydia Rowlee, b. at Brooklyn, March 22, 1898. Mortimer Wright Shaw, M.D., d. Feb. 22, 1905, at Middletown, N. Y., and is buried in Greenwood Cem., Brooklyn, N. Y.

76.

CHARLOTTE E. ROWLEE, dau. of Daniel C. H., b. March 30, 1844, at Ridgbury, Orange Co., N. Y.; m. Oct. 8, 1864, to George W., son of Samuel C. Maney, at Eldred, Sullivan Co., N. Y. They have six children, all born at Glen Spey:—

i. MARY EMMA, b. Aug. 1, 1865; m. May 31, 1899, to George H., son of Jesse D. Knight, at Port Jervis, N. Y.

ii. ALBERT G., b. June 5, 1867; m. Sept. 23, 1888, to Oma, dau. of Wm. H. Cox. They live at Far Rockaway and have; (i) Stacy, b. March 13, 1892, at Port Jervis, and (ii) Daisy, b. Nov. 15, 1895, at Lebanon Lake, N. Y.

iii. LOUISE E., b. July 13, 1869, at Glen Spey; m. to G. Anthony, son of George Shake, at New York. They live at 2216 26th Ave. N., Minneapolis, Minn., and have:—(i) Helen Burnetta, b. March 15, 1902, at Fairibault, Minn.

iv. EDITH J., b. Oct. 28, 1876, at Glen Spey; m. Dec. 21, 1898, to Floyd, son of Andrew McKechnie. They live at Port Jervis, and have:—(i) Gladys Hazel, b. July 12, 1901, at Port Jervis.

v. DANIEL H., b. Nov. 1, 1878, at Glen Spey; m. Nov. 1, 1904, to Lillian Raynor. They live at Long Branch. They have one dau.:—(i) Wilma L., b. Sept., 1905.

vi. SAMUEL W., b. May 5, 1883, at Glen Spey; m. May 5, 1903, to Edith, dau. of John Horton, at Barryville, N. Y.

77.

SARAH JANE ROWLEE, dau. of Daniel C. H., b. Nov. 30, 1848, at New York City; m. Nov. 14, 1869, to William H. Knowlton. They live in Brooklyn and have the following children:

i. PERCY LINVILLE.
ii. HARRIET FRANCES.
iii. JOSEPH STURTEVANT.
iv. ARTHUR HENRY.
v. SARAH ABBE, b. Oct. 17, 1877; d. Jan. 4, 1878.
vi. MARY JANE.
vii. CLARA EVELYN.

78.

EMMA CAROLINE ROWLEE, dau. of Daniel C. H., b. Jan. 9, 1853, at New York City; m. April 5, 1871, to Jesse A., son of Joseph Youngs Crane, at Barryville, N. Y. They have seven children:—

i. ALICE JEMIMA, b. Oct. 28, 1872, at Barryville; m. Dec. 24, 1892, to Frederick H., son of Henry Worzel, at Port Jervis.

ii. ROSANNAH, b. April 27, 1873, at Barryville; m. Oct. 3, 1894, to Jacob, Jr., son of Jacob Rau, at Port Jervis. They have:—(i) Amy Caroline, b. Nov. 4, 1896, at Port Jervis; (ii) Willamena Louise, b. Aug. 1, 1898, at Port Jervis; d. Aug. 2, 1899; (iii) Winifred Jesse, b. Oct. 6, 1900, at Port Jervis.

iii. EUGENE ROWLEE, b. Oct. 1, 1874, at Barryville; m. July 18, 1903, to Caroline, dau. of James Worden, at Port Jervis. They have:—(i) Austin Griffin, b. April 5, 1904, at Port Jervis; (ii) Irene Emily, b. Dec. 20, 1905, at Port Jervis.

iv. JOSEPH YOUNG, b. Nov. 14, 1876, at Port Jervis.

v. ARTHUR TRUMAN, b. April 15, 1883, at Port Jervis; m. July 21, 1906, to Blanch Ray, dau. of Frank Perry, at Pittsburg, Pa.

vi. LOUISE FAITH, b. Sept, 27, 1890, at Port Jervis.

vii. RAYMOND JESSE, b. Jan. 7, 1893, at Port Jervis.

CHILDREN OF ELIJAH AND MILLICENT (SHEPPARD) ROWLEE.

(Arranged in order, beginning with top row and at the left.)

HEMAN (1806–1889).

ELIJAH CORWIN (1813–).

PHOEBE

MILLICENT (1823–1902).

JONATHAN SHEPPARD (1818–1896).

79.

LOUISA ROWLEE, dau. of Heman, b. July 5, 1835, at Monterey, Steuben Co., N. Y.; m. March 2, 1858, to Calvin H. Barnes, at Monterey, N. Y. He was born Sept. 16, 1835, at Buel, Montgomery Co., N. Y., and was son of Comfort and Abbie (Smith) Barnes. She d. June 28, 1892, at Shell Rock, Iowa, and is buried in Shell Rock Cem. They had the following children :—

i. ROCIOUS H., b. June 20, 1859, at Monterey, N. Y. He lives at Waverly, Iowa.

ii. EDWIN HEMAN, b. Dec. 1, 1862, at Monterey, N. Y.; m. Sept. 25, 1890, to Stella S., dau. of Dr. W. W. Cole, at Nashua, Iowa. They live at Omaha, Nebr., and have the following children :—(i) Clara Joyce, b. Feb. 22, 1892, at Nashua; (ii) Leola Louisa, b. Oct. 2, 1894, at Nashua; (iii) Alice Beulah, b. July 5, 1899, at Nashua; (iv) Edwin Heman, Jr., b. Sept. 20, 1902, at Duluth, Minn.; (v) Rollin C., b. Nov. 30, 1904, at Omaha, Nebr.

iii. MARY, b. Nov. 18, 1866, at Monterey, N. Y.; m. June 12, 1896, to Eli F., son of Robt. Moore, at Clarksville, Iowa. They live at Shell Rock, Iowa, and have the following children :—(i) Leon B., b. Dec. 26, 1897, at Nashua; (ii) Mildred A., b. March 2, 1900, at Shell Rock; (iii) Vinna A., b. March 8, 1902, at Shell Rock; (iv) Clayton C., b. Feb. 12, 1904, at Shell Rock.

v. ALLIE J., b. Aug. 6, 1870, at Monterey, N. Y. She is a teacher at Howard, S. D.

80.

PHOEBE FINCH, dau. of Lydia J. (Rowlee), b. July 8, 1832; m. Charles Sloan, at Seneca Co., O. She lives with her dau. at Montpelier, Ind., and has one child :—

i. ELIZA, b. Oct. 30, 1864; m. to Elmer E. Lake.

81.

MARTHA ROWLEY, dau. of Elijah C., b. Nov. 2, 1839, at Corning, N. Y.; m. 1862, to Martin Sample, at Corning. She d. Jan. 8, 1896, at Deckerville, where some, if not all, of her children live. They were as follows :—

i. JUDSON.

ii. IDA.

iii. CORA; m. to ——— Farnsworth, and lives at Deckerville, Mich.

iv. HEMAN.

v. JOHN.

vi. LESTER.

vii. MILLIE.

viii. FRANK.

82.

FRANCES E. ROWLEY, dau. of Elijah C., b. April 15, 1853, at Corning, N. Y.; m. to John M. Brown, at Corning. She lives at Cornplanter, Warren Co., Pa., and has one dau.:—

i. LOTTIE.

83.

ABRAM ROWLEY, son of Elijah C., b. Aug. 6, 1844; m. Aug. 1, 1869, to Kate Gravestine, at Deckerville, Mich. He d. March 18, 1905, at Deckerville, and is buried in the Deckerville Baptist Cem. She lives at Deckerville with her son Fred.

They had nine children:—

i. LOTTIE, b. March 26, 1871, at Deckerville; m. April 10, 1887, to Benjamin Pritchard, at Deckerville. They have:—(i) Roy; (ii) Ada.

ii. MARTHA, b. Sept. 17, 1873, at Deckerville; m. Jan. 15, 1892, to Alfred Broad, at Deckerville. They have:—(i) Golda; (ii) Kate; (iii) Rose; (iv) Lillian; (v) Ann.

iii. NORA, b. Jan. 22, 1876, at Deckerville; m. Jan. 29, 1896, to Neal Peak, at Port Huron. They have:—(i) William; (ii) Hazel; (iii) Stella; (iv) Frank.

iv. FRED, b. Sept. 30, 1878, at Mills, Mich.; m. April 18, 1900, to Mary J. Torywell. They have:—(i) William G., b. April 19, 1903.

v. HATTIE, b. April 4, 1881, at Mills; m. April 23, 1902, to Walter Bunyan, at Forster Township. They have:—(i) Mabel, b. Jan. 22, 1903; d. Jan. 10, 1904; (ii) Pearl.

vi. GEORGE, b. Feb. 5, 1883, at Mills.

vii. HERBERT, b. May 10, 1885, at Mills; m. Oct. 3, 1905, to Ida Hardford, at Sanilac Center, Mich.

viii. ELIJAH, b. Jan. 15, 1888, at Mills.

ix. NORMAN, b. July 23, 1889, at Mills.

84.

ELIJAH ROWLEY, son of Elijah C., b. Oct. 14, 1845, at Corning, N. Y.; m. Oct. 11, 1871, to Kate, dau. of James and Abigail Thompson, at Corning. She d. March 30, 1902. He lives at Port Huron, Mich.

They had three children:—

i. HERBERT ASHLEY, b. Oct. 23, 1872; d. Dec. 26, 1884.

ii. JAMES LESTER, b. April 4, 1874, at Oil City, Pa.; m. June 1, 1904, to Abbie Gertrude, dau. of Volney Charles Chase, at Philadelphia, Pa. They live in Providence, R. I.

iii. CARRIE, b. Dec. 20, 1876, at Union City, Pa. She is unmarried and lives with her father.

85.

HEMAN ROWLEY, son of Elijah C., b. Jan. 31, 1847, at Corning, N. Y.; m. to Frances C., dau. of Joseph and Sabra (Hartwell) Leslie, at Titusville, Pa. She was b. April 13, 1849, at Jamestown, N. Y. He d. Oct. 5, 1897, at Danville, Ind., and is buried at Deckerville, Mich. She lives at 193 Swiss St., Cleveland, O.

They had the following children :—

i. MANDY A., b. Feb. 19, 1874, in Poughkeepsie; d. Nov. 27, 1876, and is buried at Millerstown, Pa.

ii. BIRDY B., b. Dec. 17, 1876, at Millerstown; m. Aug. 13, 1900, to W. B. Fisher, at Cleveland, O. They have :—(i) Francis A., b. April 23, 1901; (ii) Mildred May, b. May 5, 1905.

iii. PERCY H., b. Jan. 23, 1878, at Parker City, Pa.

iv. FRANCES B., b. Dec. 24, 1880, at Port Huron; m. Sept. 21, 1899, to Harry B. Phillips, at Cleveland, O.

86.

WILLIAM ROWLEE, son of Jonathan S., b. Sept. 7, 1842, at Sugar Hill, Orange Township, Steuben Co., N. Y.; m. Oct. 11, 1869, to Priscilla, dau. of Daniel and Sally (Cady) Bump, at Beaver Dams, N. Y. He was a farmer. They moved in March, 1877, to Kings Valley, Oregon, but returned in 1900 and lived at Post Creek Station, where he d. March 15, 1904. He is buried in Moreland Cem., Town of Dix, Schuyler Co., N. Y. They had no children.

87.

HARLOW ROWLEE, son of Jonathan S., b. July 1, 1852, at Post Creek; m. 1st, Dec. 31, 1876, to Lodelia Elizabeth, dau. of Robt. R. and Henrietta (Southard) Hammond, at Post Creek. She d. June 26, 1889, aged 32 years; m. 2d, Oct. 2, 1890, to Cynthia, dau. of Andrew Jackson and Mary Lousetta (Ross) Clark, at Corning, N. Y. He is a carpenter and cabinet worker, and has been for many years in the employ of the N. Y. Central R. R. as foreman in that department. He lives at Corning. By his 2d wife, he had one child :—

i. DELLA C., who died an infant.

88.

JONATHAN SHEPPARD ROWLEE, Jr., son of Jonathan S., b. Dec. 3, 1854, at Post Creek; m. May 16, 1893, to Frank, dau. of Andrew Jackson and Mary Lousetta (Ross) Clark, at Rose Hill. He is a carpenter and lives at Corning, N. Y. They have three children :—

i. HOWARD C., b. Sept. 27, 1894.
ii. ROY E., b. April 6, 1896.
iii. EDWIN J., b. Sept. 22, 1904.

89.

ELVINA ROWLEE, dau. of Jonathan S., b. Sept. 15, 1857, at Post Creek; m. April 13, 1880, to William E., son of Alford and Jerusha (Wolverton) Crosson, at Post Creek, N. Y. He d. Nov. 9, 1899, at his home in Corning, and is buried in Hornby Oldfield Cem. They had one child :—

i. LILY, who d. an infant.

90.

LYDIA JANE HATHAWAY, dau. of Millicent (Rowlee), b. April 16, 1842, at Corning, N. Y.; m. April 4, 1858, to John Harris Little.

They have seven children living and two deceased :—

i. ALICE, b. Oct. 31, 1858, at New Lebanon, Ill.; m. 1st, March 31, 1875, to Frank E. Thrall; 2d, in 1884 to James Otis Harndon. She lives in San Francisco and has one child living and one deceased by first husband. (i) Frank, b. Nov. 4, 1875; m. June 14, 1898, to Estelle May Fairfield. They have one child :—*Frank, Jr.*, b. May 18, 1902, at San Francisco, Calif.; (ii.) Jessie Loretta, b. 1880, d. July 2, 1881.

ii. CATHERINE, b. Jan. 2, 1861, at Sycamore; m. Jan. 2, 1884, to John Henry Clark, at Sycamore. They live in Irving Park, Chicago, and have two children :—(i) Marjorie Estel, b. April 25, 1887; (ii) Donald Hathaway, b. Aug. 5, 1890.

iii. MARY, b. May 13, 1863, at Sycamore; m. June 9, 1886, to Charles Fremont Negley at Sycamore. They have :—(i) Guy Perry, b. Sept. 24, 1892; (ii) Jane Hathaway, b. March 31, 1895.

iv. ANNA, b. May 28, 1865, at Sycamore; m. Sept. 10, 1885, to Charles Francis Martin, and lives at Sycamore, Ill. They have :—(i) Harry Little, b. July 2, 1887; (ii) Ross Floyd, and (iii) Bliss, twins, b. Nov. 6, 1888. Bliss d. June 7, 1889.

v. ANNAS, b. May 28, 1865; m. Anna Purseon of Wabash, Ind., May 28, 1888. He lives in Indianapolis, and has:—(i) Harry, b. Oct. 22, 1890.

vi. Infant son, b. May 30, 1867; d. June 1, 1867.

vii. JENNIE, b. May 20, 1868.

viii. HARRY ROSS, b. March 3, 1877; d. Oct. 22, 1880.

ix. CHARLES EDWIN, b. July 3, 1883.

91.

NATHAN ROWLEE HATHAWAY, b. Nov. 30, 1843, at Corning, N. Y.; m. 1st, to Orpha Maria Smith, at Sycamore, Ill., and 2nd, March 26, 1884, to Emily Jane Smith, at Springfield, S. D.

Of the first marriage there were born:—

i. JOHN, b. Aug. 9, 1870, at New Lebanon, Ill.; m. Oct. 4, 1894, to Lula E. Woodworth, at Sioux City, and has:—(i) Harold, b. June 17, 1895, at Sioux City, Iowa; (ii) Ruth, b. 1903.

ii. MINNIE, b. Feb. 16, 1877, at Brush Creek, Iowa; m. Feb. 4, 1897, at Sioux City, Iowa, to John Kudrle. They have:—(i) Clyde, b, June 1, 1898; (ii) Nathan Leroy, b. Feb. 13, 1899; (iii) Dwight, b. Aug. 21, 1901; (iv) a dau.

Nathan Rowlee Hathaway had three children by his second wife:

iii. NATHAN R., b. Dec. 25, 1891; d. Dec. 31, 1891.

iv. Infant, b. and d. July 11, 1894.

v. MILLICENT, b. July 12, 1899, at Sioux City, Iowa.

92.

MARY ABIGAIL HATHAWAY, dau. of Millicent (Rowlee), b. March 4, 1846, at Corning, N. Y.; m, Jan. 1, 1866, to Norman, son of Justus Preston, at Sycamore, Ill. They live at Sycamore, and have one dau.:—

i. SINA MILLICENT, b. Aug. 31, 1872, in Genoa Township, DeKalb Co., Ill.; m. June 8, 1898, to Howard M., son of Wm. Frantz, at Sycamore. He was b. June 10, 1872. They have:—(i) Mila Alida, b. Aug. 27, 1901, in Irving Park, Chicago, Ill.

93.

ALONZO EDWIN HATHAWAY, son of Millicent (Rowlee), b. Nov. 6, 1852, at New Lebanon, Ill.; m. 1st. in 1871, to Anna M. Caffrey, at Chicago; 2d, Dec. 5, 1891, to Minnie Beacham, at Sioux City. He lives at Sioux City, and had two children:—

i. FRANK, b. 1878, in Chicago, d. 1880.

ii. EMMA, b. 1882, in Chicago.

94.

JOEL HATHAWAY, son of Millicent (Rowlee), b. Sept 13, 1858, at New Lebanon, Ill.; m. 1st, Sept., 1880, to Mary Jane Stutenroth, at Naperville, Ill.; 2d, March 24, 1892, to Jessie A. Smith, at Tyndall, S. D. He is a farmer and lives near Sioux City. He has the following children :—

By his first wife :—

i. HARRY, b. Feb. 24, 1884.
ii. EDWIN, b. Sept. 7, 1887.

By his 2d wife :—

iii. JENNIE ADELIA, b. Feb. 27, 1893, at Sioux City, Iowa.
iv. RALPH FREDERICK, b. Aug. 6, 1894, at Sioux City.
v. ALICE E., b. Jan. 16, 1897, at Sioux City.
vi. EMILY JANE, b. Nov. 29, 1900, at Sioux City.
vii. PHOEBE BELLE, b. Jan. 5, 1903, at Sioux City.
viii. FLORENCE, b. March 12, 1905, near Sioux City.

. CHILDREN OF NATHAN AND DOROTHY (CARR) ROWLEE.

(Arranged in order, beginning with the top row and at the left).

JOHN CARR (1805–1881).

CHARLES SEELY (1811–1906).

GEORGE WASHINGTON (1813–1884).

HARRIET (1815–1885).

NATHAN (1817–).

ESQUIRE (1819–1895).

DOROTHY (1821–1882).

HEMAN (1823–).

PLATE V

95.

SHUBAEL E. ROWLEE, son of John C., b. Oct. 22, 1836; m. 1st, to Caroline V., dau. of Bostwick Reynolds, at Volney. She d. March 25, 1858, without children; 2nd, Feb. 1, 1859, to Marion Emily, dau. of Eli and Sarah Ann (Gregg) Distin, at Volney. She d. May 14, 1907, and is buried in White Cem., Ira, N. Y. He is a retired farmer and merchant and lives in Fulton. They have four children:—

i. JOHN ELI, b. Oct. 25, 1859, at Volney; m. 1st, March 24, 1881, to Francelia, dau. of Jacob Miller, at Hannibal, N. Y., and had:—(i) Emma, b. July 4, 1887, at Hannibal, and (ii) Maude Ethel, b. Aug. 31, 1891, at Hannibal. She d. March 28, 1898. He m. 2nd, Eldora (Randall) Wilson, dau. of Daniel Randall.

ii. JENNIE S., b. Feb. 15, 1865, at Volney; m. March 28, 1889, to Burton H., son of Henry S. Greenfield, at Hannibal Centre. She lives in Syracuse. Has no children.

iii. CAROLINE MAY, b. March 18, 1872, at Volney; m. Oct. 2, 1889, to Alonzo W., son of Warren D. Hannum, of Hannibal. They have one dau.:—(i) Lottie Mary, b. April 13, 1890.

iv. ANNA LOUISE, b. July 1, 1879, at South Hannibal; m. Nov. 4, 1894, to Myron F., son of Frederick Foster, of Fulton, N. Y. They have two children:—(i) Ralph Rowlee, b. Nov. 13, 1898, and (ii) Leon Francis, b. Nov. 1, 1900, at Fulton.

96.

VIRGIL ROWLEE, son of John C., b. Jan. 3, 1839, at Volney, N. Y.; m. 1st, Dec. 27, 1860, to Sarah Jane Cole, at Volney. She d. Jan. 26, 1864, without issue; 2d, Oct. 16, 1867, to Julia, dau. of Joseph Cole. He is a farmer and lives on his father's place. He was Corp. in Co. A 184th Regt., and was in the battle of Cedar Creek.

They have the following children:—

i. ERNEST, b. July 21, 1868, at Volney, N. Y.; m. Oct. 22, 1890, to Grace, dau. of Wm. N. and Lydia (Cone) Osborn. He is a farmer in Volney. They have two sons:—(i) William Ross, b. Feb. 12, 1896, at Volney, and (ii) Carlton Virgil, b. Oct. 6, 1898, at Volney.

ii. EARL, b. Nov. 20, 1876, at Volney; m. Nov. 28, 1894, to Nellie, dau. of Eli Delos and Jane (Hudgins) Distin. He lives with his father. Children:—(i) *Kenneth E., b. June 8, 1905; (ii) Margaret J., b. Feb. 13, 1907, at Volney.

iii. CLAUDE E., b. April 17, 1883; d. Aug. 15, 1884.

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*Adopted son.

97.

BYRON C. ROWLEY, son of Charles S., b. July 23, 1848, at Kent, O.; m. in 1875, to Inez, dau. of Chas. H. and Kate Pierce, at Jackson, Mich.; d. at Jackson, Jan. 10, 1904, and buried in Mt. Evergreen Cemetery, Had no children.

98.

CLARK R. ROWLEY, son of Chas. S., b. June 18, 1850, at Cleveland, O.; m. June 30, 1884, to Daisy H., dau. of William and Ella G. Holmes, at Niles, Mich. He is a dentist at Niles. Their children are :—

i. JEANNETTE, b. April 20, 1885, at Niles, Mich.
ii. RAYMOND, b. April 10, 1887, at Chicago, Ill.
iii. ARTHUR CLARK, b. Feb. 14, 1890, at Chicago.
iv. JULIA HOLMES, b. May 20, 1893, at Chicago.
v. ROBERT BURDETTE, b. Sept. 16, 1900, at Niles.

99,

HATTIE A. ROWLEY, dau. of Chas. S., b. March 5, 1856, at Cleveland ; m. June 30, 1885, to Chas. W., son of John and Elizabeth Cruson, at Jackson, Mich., where they now reside. Their children are :—

i. DURMOTT R., b. April 4, 1886, at Jackson.
ii. FLORENCE S., b. Aug. 14, 1887, at Jackson.

100.

NELLIE F. ROWLEY, dau. of Chas. S., b. Jan. 13, 1859, at Otsego, Mich.; m. Aug. 7, 1892, to Wm. C., son of John and Elizabeth Cruson, at Jackson, Mich., where they reside.

Children :—

i. ETHEL J., b. June 2, 1894 ; d. Nov. 4, 1896 ; bur. in Woodlawn Cem., Jackson.
ii. H. ALMAH, b. June 24, 1897, at Jackson.

101.

DURMOTT ROWLEY, son of Charles S., b. July 10, 1863, at Decatur, Mich.

102.

GEORGE WASHINGTON ROWLEE, JR., son of George Washington, b. Sept. 9, 1836, at Volney, N. Y.; m. Dec. 25, 1859, to Sarah Cornelia, dau. of Eli and Sarah Ann (Gregg) Distin, at Volney. They lived in Volney. He d. Nov. 5, 1862, at Volney, and is buried at Mt. Pleasant Cem. They had one child :—

i. WILLARD WINFIELD, b. Dec. 15, 1861, at Volney, N. Y.; m. Dec. 22, 1887, to Libbie May, dau. of William Burr and Lucy Mary (Hinman) Howard, at Fulton, N. Y. He is Professor of Botany at Cornell University. They live at Ithaca, and have :—(i) Elizabeth, b. Jan. 31, 1894, at Ithaca; (ii) Howard Emmons, b. May 18, 1898, at Ithaca; (iii) An infant, b. May 18, 1898; d. 2 days old; (iv) Silence May, b. April 4, 1899, at Ithaca.

103.

NATHAN ROWLEE, son of George W., b. 1838, at Volney; d. unmarried at Georgetown, D. C., Dec. 22, 1862. Buried in Mt. Pleasant Cem. Served in the War of the Rebellion. Corporal in Co. A, 147th Regiment. Enlisted Aug. 21, 1862. Body brought home by his father. For hardships of this regiment see Johnson's Hist. of Oswego Co., p. 83.

104.

JASPER NEWTON ROWLEE, son of George W., b. Jan. 23, 1847, at Volney; m. Jan. 23, 1866, to Sarah C. (Distin) Rowlee, widow of George W. Rowlee, Jr. Lives upon his father's farm. Children :—

i. GEORGE NATHAN, b. Nov. 3, 1866, at Volney; m. 1888 to Mary Alice, dau. of John E. and Catherine (Herkimer) Demott, of Niles, Mich. Children :— (i) Paul Demott, b. Feb. 2, 1890, at Fulton, N. Y.; d. April 2, 1890; (ii) Lottie June, b. June 2, 1891, at Fulton; (iii) Katharine Claire, b. June 28, 1894, at Niles. They live at Niles.

ii. MALVINA JOSEPHINE, b. Feb. 28, 1870, at Volney; m. Nov. 24, 1887, to Lewis, son of John and Rebecca (Bartlett) Ives, at Volney, where they live. Their children were all b. at Volney. (i) Howard Jasper, b. Aug. 24, 1888; (ii) Maud Lucinda, b. Aug. 19, 1890; (iii) Willard Lewis, b. Aug. 7, 1892; (iv) Sarah Grace, b. Oct. 8, 1899; d. April 28, 1900.

iii. WASHINGTON EUGENE, b. April 25, 1876, at Volney; m. Nov. 18, 1894, to Jennie M., dau. of Albert Dewey. He was a soldier in the Spanish-American war, and d. Jan. 20, 1900, from complications after typhoid fever contracted in the service. He had one dau :—(i) Leitha Alice, b. May 23, 1896, at Fulton.

iv. DELOS DEMOTT, b. Dec. 19, 1885, at Volney.

105.

CHARLES WESLEY OSBORN, son of Harriet (Rowlee), b. Aug. 27, 1835, at Volney, N. Y.; m. June 1, 1862, to Lucy Lavantia, dau. of George and Lucy (Mitchell) Bartholomew, at Fulton. He was a farmer and lived in Volney; d. July 3, 1902.

His children were :—

i. CHAS. ALFRED, b. Nov. 16, 1866, at Volney; m. April 10, 1889, to Ada Belle, dau. of John and Sarah (Cooper) Dugan. They have :—(i) Myron Weber, b. Feb. 25, 1890, at Ira, Cayuga Co., N. Y.

ii. ALLAN LIVINGSTON, b. Aug. 19, 1872, at Volney; m. Dec. 20, 1891, to Lucy Bernice, dau. of Eli Delos and Jane (Hudgins) Distin. They have the following children all born at Volney, N. Y.:—(i) Ruth Abby, b. Nov. 13, 1892; (ii) Bernice Carol, b. Dec. 25, 1893; (iii) Mark Clayton, b. July 13, 1895; (iv) Mead Clinton, b. Aug. 10, 1896; (v) Dorcas Molly, b. Dec. 27, 1898; (vi) Leila Distin, b. Nov. 29, 1901; (vii) Homer Wesley, b. July 27, 1906.

iii. INDA DAYRE, b. Feb. 27, 1884, at Volney; m. July 5, 1901, to Ernest R., son of George and Susan (Greenman) Gibson. They have:—(i) Bertha Doris, b. Sept. 29, 1902, at Scriba; d. May 2, 1907, accidentally burned to death; (ii) Allan Ernest, b. Feb. 13, 1904, at Scriba.

106.

WILLIAM NATHAN OSBORN, son of Harriet (Rowlee), b. May 29, 1837, at Volney, N. Y.; m. Oct. 23, 1861, to Lydia Anna, dau. of Almon and Betsy (Gregg) Cone, at Volney; d. Feb. 8, 1896, and buried in Mt. Adnah Cem., Fulton, N. Y. He was a farmer of Volney.

They had three daughters :—

i. EUNICE SEDATE, b. Dec. 23, 1863, at Volney; m. Oct. 29, 1884, to Harry T., son of Lindsay A. and Hepsibah (Hewitt) Seymour, at Volney; d. March 24, 1885, without children.

ii. GRACE, b. July 13, 1870, at Volney; m. Oct. 22, 1890, to Ernest, son of Virgil and Julia (Cole) Rowlee, at Volney. They have two boys :—(i) William Ross, b. Feb. 12, 1896, at Volney; (ii) Carlton Virgil, b. Oct. 6, 1898, at Volney.

iii. BESSIE MAUDE, b. May 19, 1875, at Volney; m. Oct. 31, 1900, to Chas. Webb, son of J. A. and Marion (Webb) Johnson. Lives in Fulton.

107.

LOVINA HARRIET OSBORN, dau. of Harriet (Rowlee), b. July 1, 1839, at Volney, N. Y.; m. Nov. 7, 1860, to Ira A., son of Peter and Eleanor Sperry, at Volney. He was a soldier in the Rebellion in the 147th Regt., and d. in Washington in 1862 of typhoid fever. They had one dau.:—

i. HARRIET ELEANOR, b. Sept. 5, 1861, at Volney, N. Y.; m. Aug. 26, 1884, to Wm. T., son of Burrill and Keziah Brown. He is a lawyer in Indianapolis. No children.

108.

ELIZA PRISCILLA OSBORN, dau. of Harriet (Rowlee), b. June 15, 1841, at Volney, N. Y.; m. March 31, 1868, to H. Edgar, son of Truman and Sally (Cooper) Skeel, at Volney. He d. Nov. 3, 1900. They had three children :—

i. WILLIAM HARLOW, b. March 20, 1869, at Volney; m. Sept. 30, 1892, to Mary E., dau. of De Elton and Elizabeth Joslyn, at North Scriba, N. Y. They had :—(i) Ina E., b. Dec. 31, 1892, at Providence, R. I.; d. Aug. 23, 1894.

ii. BLANCHE LOVINA, b. Feb. 28, 1876, at Volney, N. Y.; m. March 5, 1895, to Chester E., son of George and Jane (Merton) Ives, at Minetto, N. Y. They have :—(i) Hazel B., b. Oct. 6, 1899, at Fulton; (ii) Earl Chester, and (iii) Erma Belle, twins, b. Jan. 18, 1904, at Volney.

iii. CLARENCE RAY, b. Feb., 1878, at Volney. He lives with his mother.

109.

JOHN C. OSBORN, son of Harriet (Rowlee), b. Oct. 22, 1843, at Volney; m. to Myra Taylor, at Victory, N. Y. He lives near Camden, N. Y., and has two children :—

i. MYRON D'ELTON, b. June 3, 1878; m. June 7, 1902, to Eva Coe, of Amboy. They have one dau.:—(i) Myra, b. Aug. 15, 1904.

ii. HARRIET LOVINA, b. Aug. 27, 1881; m. July 29, 1901, to Fred Iacholtz, of Amboy. They have one son :—(i) Glenn Osborn, b. July 26, 1903.

110.

ANSON JAMES OSBORN, son of Harriet (Rowlee), b. March 12, 1846, at Volney; m. March 25, 1868, to Emma Bennett, at Fulton, N. Y. He was a soldier in Co. A, 184th

Regt., in the Civil War ; City Superintendent and Alderman in Fulton ; now attendant at State Museum at Albany.

Their children are as follows :—

i. CHARLES BENNETT, b. Aug. 22, 1875 ; d. May 9, 1878.

ii. JAMES ANSON, b. June 20, 1877, at Palermo, N. Y.; m. Nov. 30, 1899, to Ida, dau. of Frank and Chloa (Mann) Harwood, and live at New Haven, Conn. He is an employee of the Westchester Repeating Arms Co. They have :—(i) Earl Albert, b. April 5, 1901, at Syracuse, N. Y.; (ii) Anson James, b. May 27, 1905, at Middlefield, Conn.; (iii) Chloa Emmaline, b. Aug. 5, 1906, at Middlefield.

iii. EMMA FLORENCE, b. Dec. 16, 1878, at Fulton, N. Y.; m. July 25, 1896, to Harry A. Marden, of Fulton. They have :—(i) Arthur Osborn ; (ii) Dorothy Emma.

iv. RALPH WALDO, b. Nov. 12, 1880, at Fulton, N. Y.; m. Nov. 10, 1904, to Carrie, dau. of Gustave and Rosina Grauer Thumm, at Norwich, Conn. They live at New Haven, Conn. He is an employee of the W. R. A. Co. He has :—(i) Wm. James, b. March 15, 1906, at Norwich, Conn.

111.

ALMON OSBORN, son of Harriet (Rowlee), b. Nov. 18, 1849, at Volney ; m. 1st, Nov. 14, 1874, to Sarah Elizabeth Patmore ; m. 2nd, Oct. 26, 1891, to Nellie E. Tinkey. He is a farmer and lives on his parents' homestead.

By his first wife he has the following children :—

i. CHARLES ; m. Aug., 1905, to Beryl Montague.

ii. ERWIN.

iii. MABEL ; m. May 31, 1907, to Jesse Laribee, Lowville, N. Y.

112.

LEONARD BURR ROWLEE, son of Nathan, b. Aug. 2, 1849, at Volney Center ; m. 1st, June 13, 1869, to Alice, dau. of Harry and Jane Clark ; m. 2nd, to Stella Taylor. Lives in Fulton.

By his first wife he had :—

i. FRED NATHAN, b. 1870, at Dexters Corners ; m. April 12, 1893, to Georgia Salls, at Bridgeport, N. Y.; d. Dec. 28, 1893. No children.

ii. EVALINE, b. 1872, at Fulton, N. Y.; m. Dec. 20, 1891, to Hudson P., son of J. W. Snyder, at Mount Pleasant ; d. Oct., 1892.

By his second wife, one son :—

iii. ASA S., b. May 30, 1887, at Fulton.

113.

HERBERT ROWLEE, son of Nathan, b. 1851, at Volney; m., 1880, to Anna Brown.

They live in Fulton and have one son :—

i. NATHAN.

114.

ALBERT A. ROWLEE, son of Esquire, b. Nov. 18, 1845, at Volney; m. 1st, Nov. 13, 1867, to Addie, dau. of Jonathan and Rebecca Bentley, at Volney. She d. Dec. 16, 1884; m. 2d, June 3, 1891, to Addie, dau. of Gordon D. and Hannah F. Ball, at Volney. She d. June 10, 1898, and he m. 3d, Feb. 21, 1900, Estella, dau. of Wm. D. and Sarah E. Cole. He is a farmer and owned and managed his father's farm for a time. He now lives in Fulton.

He had children by his first wife only.

i. LUNA ADELAIDE, b. Sept. 19, 1868, at Mt. Pleasant, N. Y.; m. Oct. 15, 1890, to George H., son of Joel and Mary (Sammons) Wright, at Volney, N. Y. Lives in Watertown and has no children.

ii. EDITH EVELYN, b. Sept. 26, 1873, at Mt. Pleasant; m. Feb. 13, 1896, to Harry L., son of James and Julia E. Waugh, and they live in Fulton. She was accidentally drowned in 1906. They have :— (i) Lillias Evelyn, b. Dec. 2, 1896, at Fulton; (ii) Julia Alberta, b. Sept. 17, 1899; d. June 20, 1900; (iii) Helen Isabel, b. Feb. 11, 1901, at Fulton.

115.

BURDETTE D. ROWLEE, son of Esquire, b. July 11, 1847, at Volney, N. Y.; m. Sept. 15, 1881, to Julia E., dau. of Edward Killam, at Thompsonville, Ct.; d. at Beaufort, N. C., Nov. 1, 1903. He was a teacher in the West and South. They had no children. Julia E. Rowlee d. at Beloit, Ala., Feb. 11, 1907.

116.

BYRON ESQUIRE ROWLEE, son of Esquire, b. June 6, 1852, at Volney, N. Y.; m. Sept. 10, 1878, to Ella, dau. of Gaylord and Ann (Griswold) Moore, at Palermo, N. Y. He is a hardware merchant in Wichita, Kansas.

Their children are :—

i. FRED GAYLORD, b. Feb. 7, 1881, at Syracuse, N. Y.; d. Aug. 12, 1883. Buried in Mount Adnah Cem., Fulton.

ii. MAUD, b. Oct. 18, 1884, at Garden Plain, Kas.

iii. BYRON ESQUIRE, JR., b. Feb. 19, 1886, at Garden Plain, Kan.; d. Jan. 4, 1904, at Wichita, Kan. Buried at Wichita.

iv. FLOYD BURDETTE, b. Dec. 30, 1889, at Wichita, Kan.

117.

HEMAN ELMER, son of Dorothy (Rowlee), b. July 20, 1845, at Volney, N. Y.; m. Feb. 27, 1876, to Mary E., dau. of Sidney E. Gilbert, at Centerville, N. Y. He was a soldier in the Civil War. He changed his name about 1870, to Willis H. Ellsworth, and now lives in Union Springs, N. Y.

He has one son :—

i. SIDNEY E., b. April 6, 1880, at Levanna, N. Y.; m. April 8, 1903, to Mayme D., dau. of Chester Fessenden, at Union Springs.

118.

FANNIE ELMER, dau. of Dorothy (Rowlee), b. June 24, 1857, at Fulton, N. Y.; m. Nov. 27, 1878, to Chas. Nicholas, son of Nicholas and Cornelia (Hart) Tompkins. They live at Minetto, N. Y., and have the following children :—

i. DORA, b. Apr. 3, 1880, at Minetto; d. Mar. 12, 1884; bur. at Mt. Pleasant Cem.

ii. WILLIS E., b. April 4, 1883, at Minetto; m. Mar. 20, 1904, at Fulton, N. Y., to Lottie M., dau. of Frank J. Parkhurst. They live at Syracuse, N. Y., and have :—(i) Emma L., b. June 23, 1905.

iii. EMMA L., b. Sept. 6, 1889, at Minetto; d. Apr. 22, 1902; bur. at Mt. Pleasant Cem.

119.

ALONZO B. ROWLEE, son of Heman, b. Sept. 30, 1846, at Volney; m. Dec. 18, 1867, to Amanda, dau. of Truman and Sally (Cooper) Skeel, at Volney. He was a soldier in the Civil War, 1st Sergeant in the 184th Regiment. Is a farmer in Volney.

They have four children :—

i. CHARLES WILLIAMS, b. Dec. 28, 1873, at Redfield, N. Y.; m. April 8, 1896, to Rhoda, dau. of John W. and Elizabeth (Kellogg) Distin, at Volney. They have :— (i) Evelyn E., b. Feb. 15, 1897,

at Volney ; (ii) Elon K., b. Dec. 9, 1898, at Volney ; (iii) Esther D., b. Nov. 12, 1901, at Volney, and (iv) Erma F., b. Aug. 20, 1905.

ii. GRACE S., b. June 23, 1879, at Redfield, N. Y.; m. June 14, 1897, to Earl, son of Frederick Foster, at Volney. They have :— (i) Pearl A., b. Nov. 7, 1899, at Volney ; (ii) Mabel P., b. Oct. 17, 1906.

iii. MELVIN, b. Jan. 27, 1882, at Redfield.

iv. GERTRUDE, b. Sept. 10, 1893, at Volney.

120.

JAY O. ROWLEE, son of Heman, b. Oct. 17, 1861, at Volney ; m. July 3, 1888, to Nina, dau. of Wm. Johnson, at Volney. He d. Oct. 9, 1897, and is buried in Mt. Pleasant Cem.

They had the following children, all born at Volney :—

i. ERWIN, b. Dec. 20, 1889.

ii. JANETT.

iii. CLAYTON W.

CHILDREN OF MARY (ROWLEE) AND JOHN BLAUVELT.)

(Arranged in order beginning with the top row and at the left.)

ELIJAH ROWLEE (1807–1886)

JANE (1808–1886)

LYDIA ANN (1810–1869)

SALLY (1812–1878)

JAMES (1820–1888)

MARY (1824–1884)

JOHN MCDOWELL (1827–)

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121.

ELIZABETH S. BLAUVELT, dau. of Elijah R., b. Nov. 17, 1828, at Lake Wesauking; m. Nov. 17, 1850, to Joseph Onan, at Liberty Corners. He d. Oct. 27, 1890, at Towanda, Pa., and is buried in Lake Wesauking Cem. They lived in Hornbrook, Bradford Co., Pa.; and had two children :—

i. PHILA ARPATIA, b. Feb. 17, 1864, at Rome, Pa., and d. May 3, 1882, at Towanda, and buried in Lake Wesauking Cem.

ii. CAROLINE, b. Aug. 2, 1868, at Wysox, Pa.; m. Jan. 24, 1888, to Dewitt C. Fox, at Monroetown. They live at Hornbrook and have three children :—(i) Charles, b. Sept. 10, 1892, at Liberty Corners, Pa.; (ii) Hazel, b. Oct. 4, 1897, at Liberty Corners; (iii) Harry, b. Sept. 17, 1898; d. Dec. 23, 1898.

122.

JOSEPH CHARLES BLAUVELT, son of Elijah R., b. June 17, 1830; m. to Mariette Smith. They had two children, both of whom died without leaving descendants :—

i. CHARLES.

ii. MARION.

123.

CAROLINE HELEN BLAUVELT, dau. of Elijah R., b. April 13, 1832, at Wysox, Pa.; m. Oct. 15, 1856, to Rev. James Selden Fausey, at Wysox. He was son of Henry and Hannah (Bowman) Fausey, and was b. Nov. 22, 1835. She d. July 22, 1898, at Syracuse, N. Y., and is buried at Westfield, Pa. They had three children :—

i. ADDIE HELEN, b. Aug. 29, 1857, at Towanda, Pa.; m. Aug. 27, 1881, to Frank Zavier, son of Alvis and Crescence (Lang) Yeager, b, May 17, 1855, at New York City. They live at Westfield, Pa., and have four children :—(i) Pearl Helen, b. June 4, 1882, at Westfield; (ii) Grace Antoinette, b. Sept. 29, 1884, at Westfield; m. to James Lyn Mattison; they live at 158 Gibbs St., Rochester, N. Y.; (iii) Theresa Marie, b. Oct. 2, 1886, at Westfield; (iv) Edna Caroline, b. July 13, 1890, at Hancock, N. Y.

ii. ANN ELIZABETH, b. Jan. 1, 1859, at Athens, Pa.; m. Jan. 1, 1879, to John L., son of John H. Allen, at Elmira, N. Y. They live in Elmira and have six children, all born in Elmira :—(i) Frank H., b. March 8, 1880; (ii) Edwin L., b. Sept. 24, 1881; (iii) Helen Jeanette, b. March 15, 1883; (iv) Ethel Isabel, b. Nov. 2, 1885;

(v) Walter Roy, b. Aug. 16, 1888; (vi) James Percy, b. March 3, 1890.

iii. JOHN ROWLEE, b. March 19, 1870, at Elmira, N. Y.; m. Dec. 26, 1899, to Lena May, dau. of John Leroy and Delette (Cook) Corbin, at Syracuse, N. Y. He is a teacher and lives at 2 Lincoln St., Springfield, Mass.

124.

ELIJAH SPENCER BLAUVELT, son of Elijah R., b. Oct. 7, 1838; m. to Elizabeth Horton. They lived at Bloomington, Neb., and have children.

125.

WILLIAM COMPTON BLAUVELT, son of Elijah R., b. Nov. 18, 1846; m. June 8, 1871, to Maria, dau. of Joseph and Sally (Hammond) Cooper, at Elmira, N. Y. They live at N. Chemung, N. Y., and have two children :—

i. JOSEPH, b. April 17, 1875, at Chemung, N. Y.; m. April 1, 1899, to Myrtle, dau. of George Inman, at N. Chemung. He is an attendant at the Willard State Hospital.

ii. GEORGE, b. Oct. 24, 1883, at N. Chemung; m. Jan. 1, 1905, to Cora Williams, at N. Chemung. They live at Sayre, Pa.

126.

SARAH BLAUVELT, dau. of Elijah R., b. April 5, 1848, at Monroetown, Pa.; m. Nov. 10, 1870, to George Washington, son of Amasa and Julia (Swain) Drake, at Chemung, N. Y. He is postmaster at E. Elmira, where they reside.

They have four children :—

i. FRANK, b. June 22, 1871, at Chemung; d. at 3 years of age.

ii. CLARA JENNINGS, b. April 22, 1873, at Chemung; m. Aug. 9, 1899, to Wm. B., son of Carlton Priest, at Elmira, N. Y.

iii. AGNES MARY, b. Sept. 4, 1878, at Chemung; m. Nov. 10, 1896, to La Verne, son of George Dyer, at Wellsburg. They have :—
(i) Mary Adaline, b. Aug. 11, 1900; d. young.

iv. MABEL ETHEL, b. Sept. 10, 1882, at Lowman, N. Y.

127.

JOHN AMOS BLAUVELT, son of Elijah R., b. Dec. 28, 1865, at Wysox, Pa.; m. April 20, 1887, to Elizabeth, dau. of John Crowley, at Waverly, N. Y. They live at Hornell, N. Y., and have :—

i. ERNEST C., b. June 16, 1888, at New York.

ii. JULIA E., b. Sept. 14, 1895, at Hornell.

iii. JOHN J., b. Nov. 7, 1899, at Hornell.

128.

CHARLES HENRY BLAUVELT, son of Elijah R., b. Feb. 8, 1869, at Chemung; m. Dec. 8, 1901, to Mary Ellen McNamee, at Leavenworth, Kas. They live at 503 W. 146th St., New York City. He is a structural iron worker.

129.

MARIA SMITH, dau. of Jane, b. Dec. 30, 1825; m. to Geo. E. Sanders. She d. at Chemung, March 12, 1864.

They had one dau.:—

i. HARRIET, b. July 22, 1857, at Chemung; m. Aug. 29, 1900, to Curtis L. Benjamin, at Waverly, N. Y. Her address is Chestnut Street, Sayre, Pa.

130.

MARY ANN SMITH, dau. of Jane (Blauvelt), b. April 28, 1828; m. to Miles C. Baldwin. She d. Feb. 14, 1903, at Binghamton, and is buried in Chemung, N. Y. They had five children:—

i. WILLIAM WORTH, b. Nov. 17, 1847, at Chemung, N. Y.; m. to Sarah E. Bennett, at Campbell, N. Y. He lives at Sayre, Pa., and has the following children:—(i) Alice Louise, b. Jan, 25, 1873; m. Dec. 31, 1899, to Martin H. Jones. They have:—*Mary*, b. Nov. 12, 1900; (ii) Mary B., b. Nov. 16, 1875; m. Jan. 8, 1899, to Jacob Dillson, at Elmira. She d. March 7, 1901, and was bur. at Chemung. She left one child:—*Mildred Ruth*, b. Sept. 12, 1899; (iii) Jennie, b. Sept. 16, ——; m. March 24, 1900, to Edwin M. Agnor, at Waverly, N. Y. One dau., *Thelma*, b. Nov. 18, 1906; d. Jan. 6, 1907, bur. in Chemung Cem.; (iv) Veria, b. Aug. 8, 1888.

ii. SARAH JANE, b. Nov. 17, 1849, at Chemung, N. Y.; m. R. D. Doolittle. She d. July 8, 1870, at Brattleboro, Vt., and is bur. in Chemung Cem.

iii. ELIZABETH KRESS, b. April 16, 1852, at Chemung, N. Y.; m. March 28, 1877, to Edmund J. Bingham, at Chemung. They have the following children:—(i) Adaline L., b. Aug. 12, 1879; (ii) James B., b. March 6, 1881; (iii) Marion M., b. May 18, 1883; (iv) Arthur G., b. Oct. 19, 1884; (v) Ann Laura, b. Oct. 16, 1886; (vi) John L., b. June 25, 1890.

iv. THOMAS BERNARD, b. June 23, 1854, at Chemung, N. Y.; d. Jan. 24, 1879, at Chemung, and bur. in Chemung Cem.

v. JAMES MORGAN, b. June 1, 1865, at Chemung; m. April 28, 1891, to Anna L. Beedle, at Hill City, S. D. They live at Brownville, N. Y., and have: (i) Mary Willsie, b. March 5, 1892.

131.

LYDIA ANN SMITH, dau. of Jane (Blauvelt), b. Oct. 8, (1831); m. to Ira Ticknor. She d. Feb. 14, 1903, at Avalon, Cal., and is buried in the Los Angeles (Cal.) Cem. They had three children :

i. GEORGE, b. Jan. 2, 1852, at Owego, N. Y.; m. June 27, 1889, to Lizzie Jagger, at St. Paul, Minn. They have the following ;—(i) George, Jr. ; (ii) Robert.

ii. PASCAL, b. March 9, 1853, at Owego, N. Y.; m. 1883 to Ada Young, at Calais, Me. He d. Oct. 24, 1896, at Minneapolis, Minn., and is buried there. He left two children :—(i) William Harrison, b. Sept., 1884 ; (ii) Ada Grace, b. June, 1888.

iii. Etta Marilla, b. Feb. 3, 1862, at Flint, Mich.; m. Sept. 3, 1885, to Edwin John Whitney, at Flint, Mich. They have :—(i) Walter Ticknor, b. Dec. 26, 1888 ; (ii) Edwin Pascal, b. Dec. 19, 1896.

132.

LYMAN SMITH, son of Jane (Blauvelt), b. Sept. 29, 1834, at Wysox, Pa.; m. Nov. 2, 1858, to Helen, dau. of William Jackson, at Chemung, N. Y. They live at Portland, Ore., and have three children :

i. ELEANOR LOUISE, b. Nov. 29, 1859, at Chemung, N. Y.; m. Oct. 27, 1881, to Shearman J., son of Peter LaFrance, at Hood River, Ore. They live at 874 E. Salmon St., Portland, Ore., and have:— (i) Fay, b. Oct. 13, 1882, at Hood River ; (ii) Mary Helen, b. Oct. 24, 1889, at Hood River.

ii. WILLIAM J., b. June 16, 1862, at Chemung, N. Y.; m. March 2, 1889, to Sarah E., dau. of Charles S. Gustin, at Astoria, Oregon. They live at 690 Water St. Portland, Ore., and have the following :— (i) Edith A., b. Dec. 9, 1889, at Astoria ; (ii) Helen J., b. Feb. 15, 1892, at Nehalem, Ore.; (iii) Eleanor, b. June 17, 1893 ; (iv) Lyman G., b. Dec. 18, 1897, at Hood River ; d. Jan. 6, 1899 ; (v) Shearman A., b. Aug. 31, 1893, at Astoria ; d. Aug. 11, 1905.

iii. CHARLES DORRANCE, b. Aug. 27, 1871, at Chemung, N. Y.; m. Dec. 1, 1896, to Josie Hansberry, at Hood River. They live at Cascadilla Locks, Ore., and have the following :—(i) Mildred Eleanor, b. Nov. 1, 1897, at Hood River ; (ii) Doris Muriel, b. April 17, 1899, at Hood River ; (iii) Edna Maud, b. July 9, 1904, at Stevenson, Wash.

133.

ADALINE SMITH, dau. of Jane (Blauvelt), b. Aug. 24, 1838 ; m. to John Lyons. She d. March 2, 1905, at Lockwood, N. Y., and is buried in Lockwood Cem.

They had two children :—

i. MYRON CORY, b. May 12, 1860, at Lockwood, N. Y.; m. March 15, 1881, to Minnie E. Vail, at Lockwood. They live at Buffalo, N. Y., and have :— (i) Sarah Edna, b. Aug. 12, 1883.

ii. ALBERT SMITH, b. Dec. 31, 1867, at Lockwood, N. Y.; m. April 19, 1902, to May ———, at Waverly, N. Y. They live at Lockwood, and have :—(i) Adaline A., b. Dec. 27, 1906, at Lockwood.

134.

HENRIETTA SMITH, dau. of Jane (Blauvelt), b. Dec. 23, 1841, at Chemung, N. Y.; m. Jan. 6, 1870, to Abner Doney, at Lockwood. She lives at 122 Keystone Ave., Sayre, Pa., and has one son :—

i. GEORGE WASHINGTON, b. Nov. 18, 1870, at Putnam Hill ; m. Nov. 24, 1904, to Anna L. Simcoe, at Lockwood, N. Y. They live at Sayre, Pa.

136.

WILLIAM TILLMAN, son of Lydia Ann (Blauvelt), b. Aug. 20, 1838, at Chemung, N. Y.; m. April, 1864, to Maria E. Croffell, at Milltown, Tioga Co., N. Y. He lives at Tuolumne, Cal., and has two sons :—

i. WILLIAM HARRISON, b. May 7, 1866, at Yalesville, New Haven Co., Conn.; m. Jan. 27, 1895, to Anna A., dau. of Peter Paton, at Ocosta, Chehalis Co., Wash. They have one dau.:—(i) Nellie Marie, b. Oct. 2, 1896, at Everett, Wash.

ii. RAYMOND FRANKLIN, b. June 27, 1871, at Yalesville, Conn.

137.

JAMES HENRY TILLMAN, son of Lydia Ann (Blauvelt), b. Nov. 8, 1843, at Chemung, N. Y.; m. Nov. 4, 1865, to Julia Herrington, at Chemung, N. Y. She d. May 3, 1905, at Jersey City, and is buried in Machpela Cem. He lives in Jersey City, N. J. They had the following children, all born at Chemung :

i. MERRITT WARNER, b. May 4, 1867 ; m. to Anna P. Vough, at Blairstown, N. J. They live in Jersey City and have :— (i) Ruth V., b. June 16, 1900.

ii. GEORGE STOWE, b. March 5, 1869 ; m. May, 1902, to Hattie Dove, at Plains, Pa. They live at Stroudsburg, Pa.

iii. LYDIA CLARABEL, b. Sept. 14, 1871.

iv. CHARLES HENRY, b. Sept. 28, 1874 ; d. April 8, 1880, at Chemung, and bur. in Drybrook Cem.

v. BERNEICE EMILY, b. Feb. 6, 1877.

vi. BEATRICE ALPHA, b. Oct. 6, 1880 ; died May 11, 1899, at Jersey City; buried in Machpela Cem.

138.

JOHN McDOWELL TILLMAN, son of Lydia Ann (Blauvelt), b. Nov. 15, 1846, at Chemung, N. Y.; m. Ruth Adelia, dau. of Abram Harding and Emma (Rogers) Knight, at Sheshequin, Pa. She d. Nov. 25, 1896. He is a mason and contractor and lives at Elmira, N. Y. He has two daughters deceased, and one son living :—

i. BERTHA HORTENSE, b. Oct. 26, 1872, at Chemung; d. April 22, 1899, at Elmira, and is buried in Woodlawn Cem.; unmarried.

ii. MYRON EDGAR, b. June 4, 1875, at Waverly; m. Sept. 7, 1897, to Elizabeth Jane Cleaves, dau. of Russell O. and Josephine (Courtwright) Stone, at Elmira. He is a druggist at Elmira. They have :— (i) Edgar McDowell, b. March 16, 1901, at Elmira; (ii) Marriette, b. Aug. 24, 1904, at Elmira.

iii. EMMA MAUDE, b. Dec. 6, 1876, at Willawanna, Pa.; d. May 31, 1898, at Elmira, and is buried in Woodlawn Cem.; unmarried.

139.

DELMAR TILLMAN, son of Lydia Ann (Blauvelt), b. March 30, 1850, at Chemung, N. Y.; m. to Alpha, dau. of Josiah Robbins. He lived at Marceline, Mo.; d. and was buried there, leaving two children.

140.

MARY JANE HOLLON, dau. of Sarah (Blauvelt), b. Aug. 13, 1840, at Liberty Corners, Pa.; m. Nov. 15, 1864, to Charles Scott. They live at Liberty Corners and have two children :—

i. WALTER F., b. Jan. 6, 1866, at Liberty Corners, Pa.; m. Dec. 18, 1899, to Mary H., dau. of Wm. and Mary Kram, at Liberty Corners. They live at Liberty Corners, and have :—(i) Lina M., b. Dec. 24, 1892, at Liberty Corners.

ii. DORA E., b. April 6, 1876, at Liberty Corners, Pa.; m. Dec. 19, 1900, to Gratton L., son of Fred D. and Charlotte Kerrick, at Liberty Corners. Their children are :—(i) Mabel C., b. Nov. 10, 1902; (ii) Lawrence S., b. Dec. 22, 1904, at Duvell, Pa.

141.

JEREMIAH C. HOLLON, son of Sarah (Blauvelt), b. Oct. 24, 1844, at Liberty Corners, Pa.; m. 1st, Dec. 25, 1866, to Matilda A., dau. of M. F. Van Gorder, at Monrotown, Pa.; she d. Dec. 5, 1872; he m. 2d, March 26, 1874, to Delphene Ennis,

at Liberty Corners ; she d. Oct. 29, 1903 ; he m. 3d, Oct. 24, 1904, to Myra H. Irvine, at Liberty Corners. Children :—

By 1st wife :—

i. CHARLES S., b. Feb. 16, 1868, at Liberty Corners, Pa.

ii. JESSIE A., b. May 19, 1870.

By 2d wife :—

iii. CLARENCE L., b. June 26, 1886, at Liberty Corners, Pa.

142.

CHARLES BLAUVELT, son of James, b. April, 1862 ; m. Feb. 24, 1902, to Lottie M. Cole, at Liberty Corners. He lives at Starrucca, Pa. Children :—

i. FLOSSIE P., b. June 25, 1893.

ii. CARL D., b. July 17, 1894.

iii. SEMORE S., b. June 26, 1897.

143.

MARY BLAUVELT, dau. of John McDowell, b. Sept. 13, 1860, at Chemung, N. Y.; m. Dec. 24, 1880, to John J., son of James Nichols, at Oak Hill, Chemung Co., N. Y. She d. Dec. 9, 1888. She had the following children :—

i. LENA, b. Nov. 20, 1881, at Oak Hill ; m. July 4, 1900, to Benjamin, son of Frank Smith, at Wellsburg, N. Y. They live with their grandfather, J. McDowell Blauvelt, at Oak Hill, Chemung Co., and have :— (i) Violet, b. March 17, 1901, at Elmira ; (ii) Llewellyn, b. Aug. 14, 1903, at Oak Hill ; (iii) Willis Royal, b. Aug. 27, 1905, at Oak Hill.

ii. WILBER, b. June 5, 1884 ; d. Feb. 23, 1885.

iii. LULU, b. March 28, 1886 ; d. Dec. 2, 1906, at Elmira, of typhoid fever ; unmarried. Buried at Lowmans, N. Y.

CHILDREN OF ELIZABETH (ROWLEE) AND DANIEL COE.

(Arranged in order beginning with top row and at the left.)

SALLY (1811–1899)

ELIZA MARIE (1813–1875)

CHARLOTTE (1817–)

LYDIA ANN (1826–1899)

PLATE VII

145.

LAERTUS VAN DUZER CARPENTER, son of Sally (Coe), b. April 10, 1836; m. about 1862 to Mariette King, of Sherburne, N. Y., at Oxford, N. Y. They lived at Oxford, N. Y., then Kansas, and finally he d. at his home in Northville, Mich. They had one son :—

i. ALFRED L., b. April, 1862, at Oxford.

146.

GEORGE WASHINGTON CARPENTER, son of Sally (Coe), b. June 19, 1840, at Macedon, N. Y.; m. Nov. 28, 1870, to Helen C. Hauptman, at Washington, D. C.

He lives at Portland, Ore., and has two children :—

i. MAURICE H., b. in 1871 at Washington, D. C. Now living at Bakerfield, Kern Co., Cal.

ii. MAUD M., b. July 19, 1880 at Los Angeles.

147.

CELIA ROGERS CARPENTER, dau. of Sally (Coe), b. Oct. 26, 1841, at Macedon, N. Y.; m. March 20, 1867, to Henry Wells, son of Alva W. Spear, at Dansville, N. Y. She is a teacher and dressmaker. He is descended from George Speire, who came from England in 1644 and settled in Braintree (now Quincy), Mass. They had five children ;—

i. ALBERT MAY, b. at Spring Mills, N. Y., Dec. 31, 1870; d. May 20, 1872.

ii. MELLA BERDEEN, b. March 6, 1873, at Spring Mills; d. Feb. 8, 1874.

iii. EMILY EDITH, b. at Spring Mills, Aug. 1, 1874. She is a teacher at Woodhaven, L. I.

iv. MAUD IRENE, b. July 21, 1876, at Spring Mills; m. Dec. 28, 1898, to Myron Wm., son of John Louis Wagner, at Hornell, N. Y. Their children are :—(i) Walter Kenneth, b. July 4, 1900, at Fremont, N. Y.; d. June 11, 1901, at Fremont; (ii) Ira Gale Day, b. Sept. 22, 1902, at South Dansville; (iii) Emily Elizabeth, b. Nov. 9, 1906, at South Dansville.

v. FRED VALENTINE, b. Feb. 14, 1878, at Spring Mills; m. Aug. 10, 1900, to Bertha Lillian, dau. of Edward Cobb. She was b. May 27, 1880, at Howard, N. Y. They have :—(i) Clifford Clayton, b. July 7, 1901, at Hornell, N. Y.

148.

ALFRED WARREN CARPENTER, son of Sally (Coe), b. May 16, 1844, at Macedon, N. Y.; m. Dec. 20, 1866, to Carrie M. Hardy at Painesville, O. They live at Portland, Ore., and have two children :—

i. WILLARD H., b. June 29, 1869, at Hartford, Mich.; m. to Rena L. Hilbourn, at Tacoma, Wash. They have :—(i) Frances L., b. Nov. 27, 1888, at Chicago, Ill.; (ii) Alfred H., b. Feb. 21, 1892, at Windsor, Wash.; (iii) Nettie E., b. June 13, 1894; (iv) Nellie M., b. May, 1899.

ii. Edith M., b. Oct. 4, 1879, at Northville, Mich.; m. March 31, 1900, to Harry O. Leonard, at Windsor, Wash. They have :—(i) John M., b. June 3, 1903, at Wilson, Wash.; (ii) Gertrude C., b. May 8, 1905, at Wilson.

150.

EMMA JANE BURDON, dau. of Eliza Marie (Coe), b. July 18, 1836, at New York ; m. Dec. 21, 1854, to William Grandy, at Bay City, Mich., where they live.

They had seven children :—

i. JOHN, b. March 8, 1856; m. June 25, 1881, to Bessie Nolan, at Ludington, Mich., where they now live. No children.

ii. JOSEPHINE ALMIRA, b. March 27, 1858; m. Aug. 23, 1886, to William Augustus Southworth. He d. May 10, 1895. She lives at Bay City. No children.

iii. GEORGIANNA, b. Aug. 10, 1860; m. Oct. 16, 1879, to Stewart Richey. They have :—(i) Fred, b. May 22, 1882; (ii) Earl Erwin, b. July, 1883; (iii) Lillian, b. June 5, 1885; m. Aug. 4, 1904, to Perry Dwight Pease. They have :—*Rhea Thelma*, b. May 24, 1905; (iv) Josephine Almina, b. Aug. 4, 1887; (v) Emma Jane, b. Nov. 25, 1889; (vi) Burdon William, b. Aug. 21, 1892; (vii) Margarette Altedena, b. Dec. 12, 1894; (viii) Stewart Oliver, b. March 15, 1897; (ix) Lulu May, b. Aug. 23, 1900.

iv. EDWARD THOMAS, b. Nov. 9, 1862; m. Dec. 24, 1896, to Ida Wells. They live at Bay City, Mich.

v. SHERMAN LINCOLN, b. Nov. 8, 1864; m. Dec. 25, 1888, to Ollie C. Frank. They live at Bay City and have : (i) Elevana Lenore, b. July 11, 1890; (ii) Charles, b. Dec. 8, 1897.

vi. WILLIAM ARTHUR, b. Dec. 10, 1867; m. Aug. 5, 1893, to Margaret Hill, at Utica, N. Y. They live at Bay City.

vii. BURDON, b. Dec. 22, 1873. Lives at Ludington, Mich.

151.

ALICE ELIZABETH BURDON, dau. of Eliza Marie (Coe), b. Oct. 25, 1839, at Goodrich, Mich.; m. Dec. 25, 1863, to Thomas H., son of David Fox. They live at East Tawas, Mich., and have one dau.:—

i. LILY BURDON, b. Aug. 10, 1868, at Bay City; m. Sept. 5, 1888, to Joseph G., son of Joseph Dimmick, at Green Bay, Wis. They have:—(i) Thomas Burdon, b. March 22, 1893, at East Tawas.

152.

FRANCES REBECCA BURDON, dau. of Eliza Marie (Coe), b. Aug. 28, 1843, at Atlas, Genesee Co., Mich.; m. April 22, 1871, to Charles, son of John D. Schuettler, at Saginaw, Mich. She d. Nov. 29, 1895, at Arthur, Mich.

They had one child:—

i. MARTHA BURDON, b. Jan. 15, 1873; m. Sept. 2, 1893, to Will A., son of Henry Harrison Kent, at Reese, Mich.

153.

MARY DELIRA BURDON, dau. of Eliza Marie (Coe), b. Sept. 18, 1846, at Goodrich, Mich.; m. Dec. 5, 1864, to Jene C. Watson, at Bay City, Mich. They live at Grand Rapids, Mich., and have:—

i. FRANK, b. May 18, 1866, at Bay City; m. April 10, 1900, to Cora Towles, at Escanaba, Mich. They live at Eldorado, Cal.
ii. ELBA, b. May 11, 1871, at Bay City. He lives in Brooklyn.
iii. HARRY, b. Sept. 7, 1874, at Bay City; m. Oct. 28, 1903, to Harriett Huges, at Elk Rapids. They live at Grand Rapids.

154.

LILIAN BURDON, dau. of Eliza Marie (Coe), b. Jan. 29, 1850, at Goodrichville, Mich. She is Supervisor of Drawing in the public schools of Brooklyn, N. Y.

155.

HARLAN PAGE UNDERWOOD, son of Charlotte (Coe), b. Sept. 27, 1843, at Groton, N. Y.; m. April 11, 1874, to Inez

A., dau. of Wilson and Deborah (Louder) Halladay, of Ludlowville. He was a teacher, and now lives at Groton.

They have two children :—

i. PAUL HALLADAY, b. Dec. 29, 1881, at Ludlowville, N. Y.; a student in Cornell University, class of 1907.

ii. STANLEY WILSON, b. July 16, 1886, at Ludlowville.

156.

WILLIAM F. UNDERWOOD, son of Charlotte (Coe), b. Sept. 23, 1846, at Groton, N. Y.; m. Jan. 9, 1867, to Annette, dau. of Isaac and Emily (Armstrong) Sobers, of Pennsylvania Dutch parentage. They have :—

i. LIDA B., b. Dec. 18, 1869, at Groton, N. Y.; d. Aug. 7, 1876.

ii. BELLE AUGUSTA, b. May 4, 1877, at Groton; m. Jan. 6, 1897, to Charles Forbes, son of Jacob Starkey, at Groton. He was b. at Dryden, N. Y., July 16, 1877. He is a carriage maker and lives at Groton. They have :—(i) Hazel Fern, b. Feb. 3, 1898, at Groton.

iii. BERTHA MAY, b. May 4, 1877, at Groton; m. Jan. 25, 1899, to Geo., son of Andrew Sovocool, at Groton. He is a farmer and lives at Groton. They have :—(i) Kenneth, b. June 14, 1901, at Groton.

157.

HENRY HERBERT UNDERWOOD, son of Charlotte (Coe), b. Feb. 21, 1853, at Groton; m. 1877, to Abbie Freeman. He d. of cancer at Syracuse, 1904. They had no children.

158.

FLORENCE H. UNDERWOOD, dau. of Charlotte (Coe), b. Feb. 28, 1858, at Groton; m. July 4, 1878, to Albert, son of Peter Bower, at Groton. He is a carriage builder. They live at Cortland and have one dau.:—

i. CHARLOTTE, b. March 19, 1883, at Groton, N. Y.; m. April 25, 1906, to Claude, son of Archibald Lillie, of Moravia, N. Y., at Cortland, N. Y. They live in Cortland.

ii. NEWTON A., b. July 2, 1899, at Groton; d. Jan. 18, 1900.

iii. NETTIE F., b. July 2, 1899, at Groton; d. Oct. 4, 1899.

159.

ALICE ANNETTIE UNDERWOOD, dau. of Charlotte (Coe), b. Jan. 6, 1860, at Groton, N. Y.; m. Aug. 8, 1883, to

Newton, son of Sherman and Sarah M. (Shumway) Dick, at Groton. They live on the old Underwood farm, one mile south of Groton. They have no children.

160.

JOHN COE WOODRUFF, son of Lydia Ann (Coe), b. Nov. 16, 1848, at Florida, N. Y.; m. Oct. 24, 1872, to Mary E., dau. of John V. Mapes, at Howells, Orange Co., N. Y. They have one son :—

i. FRED, b. April 25, 1880, at Florida, N. Y.

161.

WM. W. WOODRUFF, son of Lydia Ann (Coe), b. April 6, 1851, at Florida, N. Y.; m. Sept. 5, 1877, to Sarah, dau. of Edward Millspaugh, at Florida.

They have two children :—

i. EDWARD MILLSPAUGH, b. June 25, 1879, at Florida, N. Y.; m. Feb. 27, 1904, to Mary Louisa, dau. of Wm. Winters, at Florida. One child :—(i) Wallace Edward, b. Sept. 24, 1905, at Florida.
ii. MARTHA M., b. April 20, 1884, at Florida.

162.

MARY ELIZABETH WOODRUFF, dau. of Lydia Ann (Coe), b. April 6, 1856, at Florida, N. Y.; m. Dec. 26, 1877, to Joseph A., son of Joseph A. Houston, at Florida. They live at Edenville, N. Y., and have five children, all born at Edenville :

i. H. MAY, b. Oct. 21, 1878.
ii. GERTRUDE M., b. May 25, 1881.
iii. CLARA L., b. March 15, 1884.
iv. ELIZABETH W., b. April 14, 1889.
v. HELEN, b. Nov. 24, 1893.

163.

EMMA WOODRUFF, dau. of Lydia Ann (Coe), b. June 2, 1866, at Florida, N. Y.; m. Oct. 5, 1887, to Finley, son of Albert Stevens, at Florida.

They have two children :—

i. MARY ETHEL, b. March 18, 1890, at Florida.
ii. FLOYD, b. April 30, 1892.

TABLE SHOWING NUMBER OF DESCENDANTS OF LIEUT. HEMAN ROWLEE.

BY GENERATIONS AND BY FAMILIES.

Generations						
2nd	3d	4th	5th	6th	7th	Total
Sarah	1	3	(?)	(?)	(?)	5
Lois	--	--	--	--	--	1
Charles	1	3	14	21	15	55
Matthew	8	42	99	76	6	232
Elijah	9	22	61	43	1	137
Nathan	10	34	61	52	--	158
Mary	8	35	55	53	3	155
Heman	--	--	--	--	--	1
Lydia S.	--	--	--	--	--	1
Elizabeth	5	32	39	25	1	103
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